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## Plane Crashes, Explodes

**At Least 14 of 30 Aboard Dead; Ship Chartered by Yale Students**

By Vincent Hoymann  
SEATTLE, Jan. 3.—(AP)—A chartered plane carrying vacationing Yale students back to school crashed and burned last night, killing 11 students and three crewmen.

The two-engined DC-3 piled into a hangar revetment at Boeing Field a few seconds after its takeoff—a takeoff a Civil Aeronautics Administration official said was made against control tower orders.

There were 30 aboard when the non-scheduled transport, hired by 27 Washington and Oregon Yale students to take them back to New Haven, Conn., sped down an icy runway at 10 p. m. Sixteen escaped, some badly burned.

R. D. Bedinger, Regional Administrator of the CAA, said the pilot, William Chavers of Seattle was warned twice that conditions were "below minimums" required for a takeoff. Witnesses said the field was glazed with ice and there was a light fog.

**Ceiling Below Minimum**  
"Both visibility and ceiling were below the minimums required for a takeoff," Bedinger said. "This was told to the pilot when he asked for clearance to taxi for a takeoff. That was tantamount to telling him the field was closed."

Witnesses said the big plane had risen from the ground when a wing dipped and scraped the concrete runway. Then the ship tipped the other way, dragged its left wing, and veered into a Boeing airplane company experimental hangar at 80 to 100 miles an hour, and burst into flames.

Relatives, sweethearts and friends, who had just bidden the students farewell after a happy holiday season, watched in horror as the DC-3 went up in flames.

**Stricken Crowd Watched**  
The stricken crowd then saw survivors begin plunging through the cabin door, which had burst open with the crash. Some crawled through windows, or squeezed through a break in the fuselage.

Survivors said they crawled on hands and knees through the flames to reach the door, their hair and clothes afire.

Field attendants and Boeing and United Air Lines employees rushed to the rescue. Some crawled into the burning plane. Others aided passengers leaping from the door.

**Investigation Started**  
Some of the victims, too seriously hurt to move after plunging to the concrete runway, lay there until helped or carried from danger.

Survivors included John Roderick, Seattle, star end of Yale's 1947 football team. He left the crash scene unaided.

An investigation started today, Leon D. Cuddeback, Regional Director of the Civil Aeronautics Board, said it was too early to determine the cause, but "apparently there was no explosion" before the plane hit. Several witnesses, reported it exploded upon striking the revetment.

Lynn Brown, a Boeing Field employee, estimated the plane was going 80 to 100 miles an hour when it struck the hangar revetment and burst into flames.

**Running Around Crazy**  
"I ran over to the burning plane and helped some of the fellows who were on the ground there," Brown said. "Others from the crashed plane were running around crazy and I helped quiet them."

"I saw one man with his hair on fire, screaming and moaning." The impact and explosion split the right side of the plane. Some escaped by scrambling through the broken fuselage; others through the door.

Firemen struggled to attach cables to the battered plane so it could be hauled from the hangar, where a new Boeing Stratocruiser stood loaded with 2,000 gallons of gasoline. They pulled loose the tail section and rear fuselage portion, but the front part was jammed in a charred mass against the revetment.

**Trying to Identify Victims**  
Hours after the wreck rescuers still were removing burned bodies and trying to identify victims.

Thirteen were taken to hospitals soon after the crash, several badly burned. Some left the scene unaided, adding to difficulty of determining the number killed.

Although a full night shift was working inside the hangar, none there was injured. Workmen inside the hangar were first to reach the wreckage. They braved the flames in bringing out survivors.

Fred H. Godfrey, an inspector working in the hangar, said he was telephoning when the crash came.

"I thought it was an earthquake," he said. "There was a terrific explosion, and someone yelled 'Let's get out of here.'"

## Stricken With Grief by The Tragic Wreck

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Yale campus was stunned today at the news of early morning crash of a DC-3 transport plane at Seattle, carrying many Yale men to their death.

The students were flying back to Yale for the resumption of classes Tuesday following the annual Christmas holidays.

It was the most serious accident affecting Yale men within the memory of veteran university attaches.

University President Charles Seymour voiced the grief of the entire campus in this statement:

"All the Yale community is stricken with grief by the tragic disaster which has suddenly taken the lives of our fellow Yale friends. We extend to their families our deepest sympathy in their previous sorrow and our share. We shall always prize and remember their fellowship in the Yale family."

## Blizzard Fans Out Over The Great Plains

**Cold Wave Warning For St. Louis And Nearby Points**

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Rain changing to snow and falling temperatures are expected to weather forecast for tonight and tomorrow.

Effects of the heavy blizzard moving eastward across Kansas and Nebraska were expected to be noted in the northwest part of the state tonight.

The forecast called for rain tonight changing to snow with cold west northwest and extreme west portion by Tuesday morning and in entire state Tuesday night.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The weather bureau today issued a cold wave warning for St. Louis and nearby points in Missouri and Illinois with a low of 10 above Wednesday morning.

Snow is predicted for Tuesday, ending Tuesday night.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Bus service north of here was cancelled today because of weather conditions.

The companies reported ice on the highways south of Clarinda, Ia.

Roads in this area still were clear, however at noon.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Winds ranging up to 60 miles an hour raked Southern California today, uprooting trees in several communities and causing other widespread minor damage. Gusts up to 38 miles an hour lashed the Los Angeles area.

DENVER, Jan. 3.—(AP)—A blizzard fanned out over the Great Plains today, leaving the eastern slopes of the Rockies blanketed by their heaviest snowfall of the winter.

The storm struck with the greatest force in northern Colorado and southeastern Wyoming. Winds of 45 miles an hour whipped the snow through the air, reduced visibility to zero and halted transcontinental motor travel.

Two hundred motorists spent the night in the little northern Colorado town of Nunn. Many were halted for the night at farms and ranches along the highways.

The storm swept most of Wyoming, eastern Colorado, western Nebraska and northeastern New Mexico last night, and moved eastward into Kansas during the night.

**By The Associated Press**  
Truck growers in the Florida everglades surveyed frost-wrought damage to their crops today as a whistling blizzard harassed livestock producers over most of the high Great Plains region.

With reports still incomplete on the extent of the frost and freezing temperatures in Florida Saturday night, it is known to have been heavy in many sections.

**Many Children Meet Tragic Deaths**  
**By The Associated Press**  
The nation's New Year holiday death toll of 309 listed 43 children.

At least 22 youngsters between the age of three and the mid-teens were among the nation's overall total of 207 traffic victims. The other 21 were killed in a variety of mishaps.

**Dinner to Honor Sen. Hawkins And Representative Dan Doty**

The Missouri Commercial Secretaries Association Legislative Conference will be held in Jefferson City on January 25 and 26.

The dinner will be on the evening of January 25 at which time Senator C. R. (Ted) Hawkins and Representative Dan Doty and Mrs. Doty, of Sedalia, will be guests of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

R. M. Overstreet, president of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. Overstreet and John F. Zander, secretary, and Mrs. Zander, will also attend the dinner.

## City Council Of Shanghai Takes Action

**Goes Over National Government's Head For Peace Talks**

**By The Associated Press**

Shanghai's city council went over the Chinese National government's head today and asked the Chinese Communists for a cease fire and peace talks.

In northern China some Nationalist generals appeared to be dickering for a separate peace with the Communists. A Peiping official hinted at a political settlement within three weeks. The fact that this was permitted through tight Chinese censorship lent weight to the hint.

Hong Kong reports said Marshal Li Shi-Shen, a non-Communist, has left for a rendezvous with the Communists in the north. He has said he would be available to head a coalition government. Once President Chiang Kai-shek's chief of staff, the marshal now is strongly opposed by Chiang.

**Might Decide on Formosa**  
Formosa might become the seat of Chiang's government if it flees Nanking.

The Dutch commander has issued an order of the day to his troops on the island of Java which is interpreted as a semi-official cease fire. The Dutch soldiers were told their only job now is to mop up against pockets of Indonesian Republicans. The Dutch hold all important points in Java and almost all in Sumatra. An order is expected soon on the neighboring island. The Dutch still refuse to allow 43 United Nations military observers to visit areas taken from the Republic.

**Two Die of Carbon Monoxide Poisoning**

BOONVILLE, Mo., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Two young men died here Saturday as a result of carbon monoxide poisoning, Dr. M. L. Dieckroeger, coroner, reported.

The two, Richard Raines and Nelson Johnson, both 20, were found in a closed automobile near a dump in the north part of town. One wheel of the car had slipped into a culvert apparently when they were attempting to turn the car around.

The coroner said no inquest will be held.

**Observes His 107th Birthday**

HIGGINSVILLE, Mo., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Missouri's last surviving Confederate veteran of the Civil War observed his 107th birthday on New Year's day.

The elderly veteran, John Graves, had dinner with eight of the United Daughters of the Confederacy from this area.

Graves, who is confined to a wheel chair, lives in the Confederate Home here.

**Delay Sailing of The Queen Mary**

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The sailing of the Queen Mary for New York, scheduled for today, has been delayed until tomorrow because of damage to the ship's line when she ran aground off Chisborough Saturday.

The Cunard White Star line announced repairs to the damaged hull were being made from the inside of the vessel, although that part of the ship is under water.

The repairs are of a "minor nature," the officials said.

**Will Represent Nat'l Committee**

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Two Missourians William Boyle and Merle Young, will represent the Democratic national committee at Gov. elect Forrest Smith's inaugural next Monday.

Boyle is a colonel on Smith's staff.

Democratic state headquarters said Boyle and Young will fly to Springfield with vice president-elect Alben W. Barkley next Saturday for a Jackson day dinner, then come here for the inaugural.

**Woodland Hospital Notes**  
Dismissed: Mrs. Wayne W. Allman, 608½ South Grand avenue, and Mrs. Samuel Lyles, Jr., and son, 1622 West Eighteenth street.

## Home From Switzerland



The Reverend James Spalding (above), who with his wife, the former Virginia Burford of Sedalia, has been in Europe since August, 1947, will be the guest speaker at tomorrow's regular noon meeting of the Optimist club. The meeting will be held in the Ambassador Room of the Bothwell hotel.

## 1948 Was Year Of No Traffic Deaths Here

**Two Accidents Over Last Weekend, No One Injured**

1948 was a year of no traffic fatalities for Sedalia, and only 222 reportable accidents to the police department, none of which resulted in serious injuries. Although several persons injured in accidents were treated at the hospital, none were kept for observation as a result of being in an accident in the city.

1949 has started off with two accidents up to 6 o'clock Monday morning, with no injuries reportable in either. Property damage resulted to the vehicles in both accidents.

Accident number one was that of John Wear, R.F.D. No. 5, Sedalia, driver of a 1936 Chevrolet coach, and Harry Schick, 1023 East Fourth street, driver of a 1948 Chevrolet sedan of Atlas Cab Co. It occurred at Fifth street and Brown avenue about 3:20 o'clock Saturday afternoon, January 1.

Charges of careless driving against both drivers were dismissed in police court this morning by Judge Harry O. Berry, after they had settled their differences out of court.

**Second Accident**  
The second accident of the year was at 12:26 o'clock Sunday morning, January 2, when two cars sideswiped at Main street and Osage avenue. The cars were a 1928 Chevrolet coach driven by A. D. Butterbaugh, 1910 South Park avenue, who was traveling west on Main street, and a 1937 Dodge sedan, driven by Ralph Raymond Stuart, R.F.D. No. 5, Sedalia.

Considerable damage resulted to the Butterbaugh car.

Stuart pleaded not guilty to careless driving and after a hearing was fined \$50 by Judge Berry, which he paid.

Paul Nichols, 423 East St. Louis street, pleaded not guilty to careless driving on Ohio avenue between Main and Second streets, but was fined \$25 after a hearing before Judge Berry.

**Married by a Five-Year-Old**

LOMB BEACH, Calif., Jan. 3.—(AP)—A sailor and his bride are honeymooning today after being married by a five-year-old minister.

The preacher, Marjoe Gortner, who was ordained last October by the Old Time Faith church, performed the rites yesterday. His father said he has been preaching since he was three. He was assisted at the wedding by his two-year-old brother, Pat.

Married were Raymond Miller, 23, attached to the USS St. Paul and Alma Brown, 21, Long Beach.

Several superior court judges have taken opposite views on the legality of the marriage. One points out that state law provides that any judge, magistrate or ordained minister can officiate at a wedding.

Another jurist held that a marriage is a contract and that a minor cannot make a contract.

**The Weather**  
Light rain and continued mild this evening. Snow flurries late tonight and Tuesday. Low tonight near 32 with continued falling temperatures Tuesday.

**SNOW**  
Temperature: 7 a. m. 40 degrees; 2 p. m. 34 degrees.  
Lake of the Ozarks: 8.4; rise 1.  
Sun rise 7:52 a. m. Sun set 5:02 p. m.  
First quarter moon January 7; full moon January 14.

**Thought For Today**  
Shall man alone, for whom all else revives,  
No resurrection know? Shall man alone,  
Imperial man! be sown in barren ground,  
Less privileged than grain on which he feeds?—Young.

## Make Report On OEEC Bids

PARIS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Western Europe can take a 10 per cent cut in United States aid for 1949-50 and still eat better.

This is the gist of a report put out by 19 Marshall plan countries. The information was gathered by the organization for European economic cooperation (OEEC).

These countries are asking Uncle Sam for \$4,347,000,000 for the period July 1, 1949, to June 30, 1950. That is \$528,000,000 less than the current fiscal year.

The report will be used by U. S. officials in asking congress for additional sums for the European recovery program.

Each of the 18 countries put in their own bids. These were studied by the OEEC, which cut the individual estimates by \$307,000,000.

Figures the member countries put in called for an average seven per cent increase in the consumption of grain, fats and meat. The OEEC said this increase should be only 2½ per cent. Result: Potential saving of \$216,000,000 to the American taxpayer.

Of course, what the OEEC asks, and what congress appropriates, are well understood here as two different matters.

## Johns Hopkins U. Head Retires

BALTIMORE, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Three days after the old year, an era quietly ended for one of America's great institutions of higher learning, Johns Hopkins University.

Its president, Dr. Isaiah Bowman, who helped set the boundaries of Europe after the first world war—retired today, after a 13-year tenure.

Immediately, Dr. Detlev Bronk, University of Pennsylvania physicist and director of the National Research Council, took over as the sixth Hopkins president.

No special ceremony signaled the change. Hopkins tradition, which Dr. Bowman helped shape, generally frowns on academic pomp.

Dr. Bowman—internationally known geographer, author and "incorrigible teacher," as a colleague called him—stepped into private life, but his friends had assurance that "I'll be buzzing around as usual."

The 70-year-old educator, member and officer of numerous learned societies, holder of many honorary degrees, has been active also in Maryland civic and governmental affairs.

Advocate of universal military training and of a strong America, Dr. Bowman recently remarked that "we are even now at war."

He came to Hopkins in 1935, after 20 years as head of the National Geographic Society.

## Information On Car License

The new system of Missouri license plates for automobiles has created some confusion for motor car owners. However, the new system when in full operation will make it easier for all car owners to obtain their automobile license tags.

At present only those who have received notices for 16 months licenses, those good until April, 1950, can be served as they are the only licenses here.

Those whose applications call for seven months need not call for them until the 10th of February, when the plates will be here, and those designated as nine months will have to wait until March for their plates.

License headquarters here are in charge of Ben P. Robinson, Bryant Motor Co.

**Booster Meeting Postponed**  
The Booster club meeting scheduled for January 4, at the Missouri Pacific shops, has been postponed until January 11.

L. K. Studer, district stores keeper, will be the speaker.

## Uphold State Laws Banning Closed Shops

**Decision Handed Down Today by Supreme Court**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The supreme court today upheld state laws banning closed shops.

Under a closed shop contract, only union workers can be hired, even on the payroll, they must remain in good standing with the union or lose their jobs.

Today's decision was given in attacks by the American Federation of Labor and others on bans adopted in Arizona, Nebraska and North Carolina. During argument of the case the court was told that similar restrictions have enacted in 13 other states.

The Taft-Hartley law's anti-closed shop section was not directly involved in today's ruling.

**Black Wrote Two Opinions**  
Justice Black wrote two opinions, one dealing with the North Carolina and Nebraska laws, the other with the Arizona law. The decision of the court was unanimous, except that in the case of the Arizona law, Justice Murphy noted a dissent.

Justices Rutledge and Frankfurter wrote concurring opinions in all three cases.

The North Carolina closed shop ban was passed by that state's legislature. It permits a worker to sue for damages if he is refused a job because he is not a union member.

The Arizona and Nebraska prohibitions are contained in amendments to those state's constitutions.

The supreme courts of each of the three states have upheld the bans.

**Bans in Other States**  
The supreme court was informed that in addition to North Carolina, these states also have enacted closed shop bans: Delaware, Georgia, Iowa, Louisiana, Maryland, Nevada, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. In addition Arkansas and Florida have adopted constitutional amendments banning closed shops, the court was told.

Some attorneys have said that the decision on the state bans would have considerable bearing in any future high court test of the constitutionality of the similar ban in the Taft-Hartley act.

The Taft-Hartley act as passed in 1947 outlawed future closed shop contracts and permitted the more common union shop only when a majority of the workers vote for it.

## St. Joseph Youth Winner

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Bill Sparks, Kansas City, Kas., was elected president of the Mid-States Model Aeronautical Association at its fourth annual meeting here yesterday.

The association awarded the grand championship in the first flight model plane division to Maurice Pollock, 14, of St. Joseph, and the grand championship for control-line flight to the Wichita, Kas., team of Frank D. Manley, 23, and Verene L. Hudson, 33.

Awards were based on the number of points collected in model events during the past year.

Elected with Sparks, Kas., vice president, and Bob Schukle, Wichita, secretary-treasurer, A. F. Pierce, St. Joseph, and Val Sheridan and C. O. Wright, both of Topeka, were elected to the executive committee.

**Hope Abandoned For Plane Victims**  
MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Hope was abandoned today for survivors of a charter airliner which disappeared last Tuesday with 32 persons aboard, enroute from San Juan, Puerto Rico, to Miami.

The coast guard announced discontinuance of the "large scale" search for the missing DC-3 at sundown last night and said the only remaining possibility is that some wreckage might be sighted somewhere.

**BPWC Board Meets Tonight**  
The Board of Directors of the Business and Professional Workers' club will meet at 7:00 o'clock tonight at the public library.

**Bothwell Hospital Notes**  
Admitted for medical treatment: Susan Ellen Phillips, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips, of Smithton.

Admitted for surgery: Bert Frye, La Monte; Mrs. Robert Fisher, 201 East Saline street; and Miss Dolores Haligan, 505 East Fourth street.

Dismissed: Mrs. Karl Gonsler, 1412 South Grand avenue.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. E. R. Thomson, of Beaman.

**County Court Buys Loader to Cut Time in Picking up Dirt**

The Pettis county court, as one of its last 1948 acts, purchased a piece of road equipment which is believed will add to the efficiency of road work in the county. It is an Athey Model L hydraulic forced feed loader with dual rear wheels to be used in various types of road work.

The equipment is known as a loader, used to load dirt and gravel. The piece of machinery will cut down time in picking up dirt along the road after the grader has passed by, loading it into trucks. It can also be used conveniently for loading gravel and sand into trucks.

This piece of machinery replaces an old loader which was attached to a tractor and used to load dirt, gravel or sand, and when emptying into the trucks created such a jar that it did damage to the trucks. The new machinery is a constant running affair, loading without doing damage to the trucks.

The total cost of the loader was \$9,175. The money to come from class six. It was explained there was a sum of money in class six, that if not spent before January 1, 1949, would revert back to the general revenue, hence the purchase of the loader was made and Company of Kansas City, the balance to bear six per cent interest until paid.

All three judges of the old court, Presiding Judge J. V. Kesterson, Judge Edw. Callis and Judge Vernon Glenn, concurred on the purchase.

It was explained the budget for this year will include the balance of the payment on the machinery. The new court to set the budget being composed of Judge Kesterson, Judge Callis re-elected, and Judge William L. Marlin, newly elected judge of the eastern district.

## Wants to Resign



WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Walter Bedell Smith asked President Truman today to relieve him of his post of Ambassador to Russia.

## Club Talk on Unemployed; Security Work

The Rotary meeting today noon at the Bothwell hotel was presided over by the president, the Rev. J. Fred King, with invocation by the Rev. D. Warren Neal.

The song leader, was George Lockett.

Visitors introduced by Dr. L. G. Geiger were Bill Hoffman, guest of Z. Lyle Brown; R. H. Hodges, guest of C. J. Hoffman; Rev. D. Warren Neal, guest of Emory Bowman; Rev. W. Leazer, guest of Dan H. Dean and Rotarians, Truman Schlup, Kansas City, Kas., and Arthur W. Knott, Neosho, Mo.

The speaker was O. R. Catron, program chairman, whose subject was "Ten Years With the Division of Employment Security."

**Explains Duties of Office**  
Mr. Catron stated that the local office of the Division of Employment Security, of which he is manager, is set up primarily to keep down unemployment, if possible, but to pay benefits promptly to eligible workers who cannot find jobs. The unemployed worker, the employer and the public benefit most when the office has the fullest cooperation of the employee.

There is no obligation on the part of the employer to hire a worker referred, Mr. Catron said. Workers are referred on the basis of ability, but final choice in hiring rests with the employer. The local office can best serve as a clearing house for workers seeking jobs and for employers seeking workers.

All the services of the local office are available to workers and employers alike without charge.

The program carried on by the agency has alleviated the civil effects of unemployment during the ten years since 1939 when benefits first became payable under the law, the speaker said.

Governor George W. Diemer, Warrensburg, will make his official visit to the Sedalia Rotary club on January 10.

Rotarians attending other clubs the past week were Dick Snow, Clifton City Club; Nolan Bricken, Temple City Rotary Club in California; Scudder Hull, Lubbock Rotary Club in Texas, and Z. Lyle Brown, Moberly.

There will be a meeting of the board of directors at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the home of the secretary, W. E. Hurlbut, Jr., 211 West Seventh street.

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**McKellar Elected**  
Then Senator McKellar (D-Tenn.) was elected to the post by voice vote. McKellar promptly took the presiding officer's chair. Having completed its routine formalities the senate adjourned until Wednesday.

Before the gavel fell, there was much handshaking, backslapping and greetings on the senate floor. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, the senate's only woman member, sat smiling happily on the Republican side of the chamber. She wore a black dress adorned by a single red rose pinned at her left shoulder.

**Four Hundred Licenses to Wed**  
Close to four marriages to one divorce was the approximate 1948 ratio standing, from records which were tallied at the Pettis county court house, Friday.



by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 — A compromise solution to the dynamite-laden civil rights program has been worked out by Arkansas Congressman Brooks Hays. It may prevent the battle of northern Democrats vs. southern Democrats which could bog Congress down for weeks.

The Hays compromise is to sidestep the federal employment practices commission, otherwise known as FEPC.

Several southern solons are now reluctantly ready to admit they cannot block the anti-lynching bill. The poll tax is no longer a real issue, since approximately one-half of the southern states have already abolished it on their own initiative. This leaves FEPC as the real sore thumb in the Truman civil-rights program.

Congressman Hays' solution is to substitute for the FEPC an employment counseling service. This would protect Negroes' working rights and straighten out racial problems on an individual basis. The plan wouldn't be as harsh, Congressman Hays argues, as an outright fair employment law. He also proposes that criminal penalties be removed and civil penalties substituted to nudge reluctant employers.

As an added concession and a step toward abolishing segregation in the south, the Arkansas congressman is willing to outlaw segregation of interstate commercial transportation — and he does not think his fellow southerners will object.

Many northern Democrats have already studied Hays' proposals and are willing to compromise. Hays, however, must still convince President Truman.

#### Truman's 6-Month Program

The Democratic goal, as the 81st Congress opens today, is to smash through passage of the Truman program in exactly six months. They want to do this while the new congress still has the smell of the grass roots in its nostrils. Here is the legislative bill-of-fare:

1. Vote a raise in the president's salary to \$100,000, plus \$25,000 expenses; and the vice president's salary to \$30,000, plus \$10,000 expenses, during the first two weeks while Congress is getting organized;
2. Repeal the Taft-Hartley act;
3. Raise minimum hourly wages to about 75 cents;
4. Put across public housing and slum clearance;
5. \$300,000,000 vital aid to education;
6. Public health insurance;
7. Restoration of reciprocal trade treaties;
8. Abolish the tax on oleomargarine;
9. Vote more storage space for government-purchased grain;
10. Ratify the international wheat agreement;
11. Grant statehood to Hawaii and Alaska;
12. Open U. S. doors to 200,000 more displaced persons.

Biggest fight, however, will be over the budget. President Truman is determined to hold down expenses. The military, however, want more. Meanwhile, congressmen warn that the administration cannot afford to curtail civilian agencies already cut to the bone by the 80th Congress.

**Rayburn Tells the Boys Off**  
It was patient, friendly Speaker Sam Rayburn who cracked the whip at secret huddles of House leaders in favor of a "speedup" of the creaky rules committee and some "plastic surgery" on the ways and means committee.

"I've tried to be fair and patient with the rules committee in the past," declared Rayburn, "but I'm going to be much firmer from now on in insisting that it bring out important legislation. It's got to keep in step with the party and the times."

When someone suggested that they wait to see whether Dixiecrats Gene Cox of Georgia and Howard Smith of Virginia would continue to team up with rules committee Republicans, John McCormack of Massachusetts immediately backed up Rayburn.

"Let's not wait until later," he urged. "Let's liberalize the rules committee now."

This met general agreement from others at the meeting, including Mike Mansfield of Montana, Herman Eberhart of Pa., John Carroll of Colorado and Chet Holifield of California.

**Convincing Muley Bob Doughton**  
Speaker Rayburn also did some plain talking during a conference on the organization of the ways and means committee with Chairman Bob Doughton of North Carolina. The North Carolinian was politely, but firmly, told that his committee would have to undergo a face-lifting.

A higher quota of liberal members was needed to insure favorable consideration of administration tax, social security, reciprocal

#### Side Glances

By Galbraith



"Oh, didn't I tell you? I made several New Year's resolutions, and one of 'em was never to return or exchange Christmas gifts!"

trade and other measures, said Rayburn, adding that he hoped Doughton and his ways and means colleagues would keep this in mind when they filled six Democratic vacancies on the committee.

Rayburn and McCormack also made it clear that "geographical considerations" as well as a liberal philosophy, should be kept in mind in filling the vacancies. The leaders pointed out that, of the 10 Democrats now on the committee, only one — John Dingell of Michigan — was from the middle west or west.

The 85-year-old Doughton is called "Muley" because of his sometimes stubborn character. But, although he has been no ball of fire in supporting administration tax and social-security legislation, he agreed to follow the speaker's "suggestions."

#### Blocking Filibusters

A lot depends on whose ox is gored — especially when it comes to blocking filibusters.

It has now been just about a year since progressive Democrats and Republicans finished hearings on a cloture rule, by which the senate would be able to prevent that most archaic of traditions — the filibuster.

The senate rules committee reported favorably on the anti-filibuster bill in January, 1948 — after which nothing happened. The bill gathered dust in the rules committee until Congress adjourned. Rules chairman Curley Brooks of Illinois, though a Republican, didn't want to bring it out.

If GOP leaders had bothered to nudge Brooks, he would have acted. But at that time, the

ent. This year, first measure being brought up today by either Morse of Oregon or Knowland of California, both Republicans, is the anti-filibuster bill.

They are wise in bringing it up — first, because it's the only time to pass such a bill, at the early part of a congressional session; second, because, from their point of view, it will embarrass the Democrats.

#### Tourist Trips by Air

The civil aeronautics board is juggling another hot potato — an application by a group of wealthy North Carolinians and some of the Delaware du Ponts to conduct aerial "Cook's Tours."

Operating under the name of Resort Air Lines, Inc., the group plans to sell vacation flights on an all-expense basis. In other words the cost of meals, hotel accommodations and local sight-seeing excursions either abroad or in the USA would be included

in a special tourist airplane ticket.

If a certificate is granted, conducted vacations by air would be projected to most major cities in the United States, plus the Bahamas, Puerto Rico, Havana, Venezuela, Mexico City and the principal cities of Canada. Passengers would pay a lump sum for the entire trip, just as they do for conducted, group vacations by bus, train and boat.

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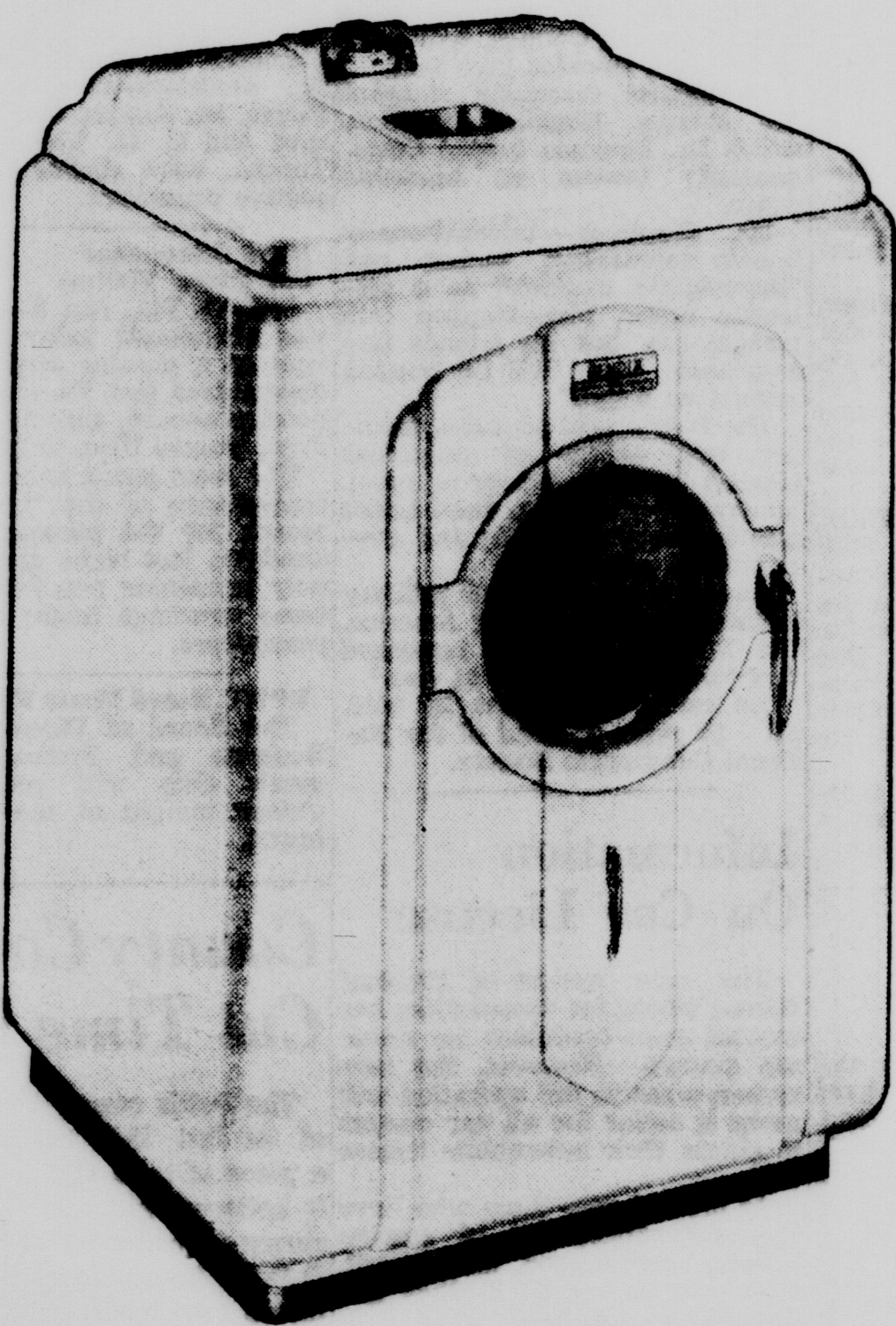
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## Social Events—Clubs

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic will meet at Parish Hall, Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. New officers will be installed at that time.

Girl Scout Troop 27, Horace Mann school with leaders, Mrs. Champ Richardson and Mrs. W. J. Michener, enjoyed a Christmas party and contributed dinner at the home of Mrs. Merle Vaughan, committee chairman, last Tuesday evening.

Games were played after which there was a gift exchange.

Mrs. A. B. Burke was a guest.

Sylvia Kay Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Richardson, 1020 South Harrison ave-

nue, entertained with a doll party last Thursday afternoon.

The home was a scene of happy little mothers and their baby dolls.

Games and singing were enjoyed throughout the afternoon and later refreshments were served to the following: Ruth Hanrahan and her doll, Rosa, Barbara Mabry and Carolyn, Sheila Merry and Nancy Ann, Barbara Freund and Susie, Patricia Hamby and Ann, Antionette Fowler and Betty, Martha Berlin and Mary, Vera Lee Monroe and Betty Lucille, Deanna Bohon and Dana Doris Bohon and Sue, Charlene Sutherland and Karen Ann, Barbara Watson and Jeneva 'ean, Sheila Nold and Dolly, Juanita Steele and Diana, Sylvia Kay Richardson and Trudy Lynn and Donna Richardson and Brenda.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eickhoff, 705 West Fifth street, entertained with a dinner Thursday night honoring their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cannon, Jr., who were married Tuesday.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Leo McDade, of Marshall; Hugh Wiley, Miss Betty Lale, of Marshall, Mrs. Effie Platt, mother of Mrs. Eickhoff, and Leo, Jr., and Margaret Kathryn Eickhoff.

A Christmas party and recital was given by the Young Musicians club of Sedalia on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 19th at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Jewel Thomas, 401 Dal-Whi-Mo Court.

The program was opened by Camille and Sharon Alexander playing "Jingle Bells" and all joined in the singing.

The remainder of the program was as follows: "Santa Claus is coming to town," J. Fred Coots-Sharon Alexander, "White Christmas," Irving Berlin-John David Catron; "Silent Night," Spencer-Nancy Garst; "O Little Town of

## Just Town Talk

A SOUTHERN Woman A RESIDENT OF SEDALIA FOR A LONG TERM OF YEARS BUT STILL FAITHFUL TO HER Southern LAND WAS LOOKING OVER SOME PICTURES OF SEDALIANS THE OTHER DAY THERE WAS ONE OF A Sedalia GENTLEMAN THAT WAS PARTICULARLY GOOD SHE THOUGHT IT SO GOOD SHE CALLED Him ON THE PHONE TO TELL Him ABOUT IT AND SPONTANEOUSLY EXCLAIMED "YOU ARE Handsome ENOUGH TO BE THE PRESIDENT OF THE Dixiecrats" I THANK YOU

Bethlehem," Walter Lane-April Burton; "Silent Night," Franz Gruber-Sharon and Camille Alexander. All joined in the singing of "Silent Night." "Christmas Tidings," Fordell-Leah Lewis and "The Birthday of a King," Neidlinger-Camille Alexander.

The program closed with Marcia Rissler and Bonnie Lou Lazebny playing "Jingle Jolly Bells" by H. Jean Diestelherst.

Santa Claus telephoned from his home in the north and talked to each of the children and Mrs. Thomas presented each child with treats of candy canes and candy bars.

Miss Selma Bloess and Jack Bloess had an open-house at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, New Year's Eve. Approximately 200 guests attended.

Miss Bloess and Jack both left today for Columbia, where they are students at the University of Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, 1003 West Seventh street, entertained Saturday afternoon from 2:00 until 5:00 o'clock, several friends.

That evening from 7:00 until 9:00 o'clock, they had open-house for members of the Men's Choral club of Sedalia, which is directed by Mr. Rosenthal, and their wives. The evening was spent in singing and conversation.

The dining room table was centered with a bowl of pine branches, large red tapers and pine cones. There was a large bowl of egg-nog and several platters of assorted holiday cookies and cakes. Spaced over the table were trays of mixed nuts.

The Young Married Ladies Society of the St. Paul's Lutheran church, will meet in the Sunday school rooms Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Mrs. Ralph Kreisel and Mrs. Norman Kreisel will be hostesses.

A covered dish luncheon will be held at the Congregational-Presbyterian church at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday.

This will be the annual business meeting.

Circles of the Congregational-Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon as follows:

Circle number one at the home of Mrs. Philip Hoffman, 611 West Seventh street.

Circle number 2, at the home of Mrs. D. S. Lamm, 1303 South Osage avenue.

The Women's Council of the First Christian church will meet Thursday at the church. The board meeting will be at 10:15 o'clock. The devotional program will begin at 11:00 o'clock. Mrs. Harve Terry will be the speaker. Lunch will be served at 12:15 o'clock by Circle No. 4 with Mrs. Foster Scotten, chairman.

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## Men Work to Give Them Sight



Born blind, twins Barbara Jo, left, and Bette Jean Nord, 2, of Seattle, Wash., will see some day, if the 1800 members of the Street Car Men's Union, Local 587, have anything to say about it. They put in long hours of extra holiday work so they could turn over about \$3600 in pay to the girls' father, Walter Nord, a fellow bus driver, to pay for special surgery.

## Begin 7-Day Diet Today To Lose Excess Weight

By Alicia Hart NEA Staff Writer

If the price you are ruefully paying for a too-heavy indulgence in holiday foods is overweight, make reducing your New Year's resolution.

A little discipline over your appetite will be less difficult to impose, now that cupboards and cake boxes are cleared of those temptingly rich foods. Your reward for restricting your diet will be a svelter figure.

No Spartan-like regimen of self-denial telescoped within a few intensive days should be considered. If the status quo of weight is to be kept after you shed unwanted pounds, the diet process must be slow. No weight loss should exceed two pounds a week, if health is to be safeguarded. Any reducing diet which fails to offer an adequate supply of vitamins, minerals and proteins should be avoided.

To chart your way safely in losing as much as two pounds per week, a basic seven-day diet has been planned for you under medical guidance. Jacob Buckstein, M. D., author of "Eat and Keep Fit," tells readers to stick to the diet for five or six weeks if a weight loss of 10 pounds is desired.

A dieter is allowed to ring in other foods for those given on the restricted list provided substitutions have the same calorie count.

Whether you plan to lose two pounds or 10, Dr. Buckstein recommends that you have your doctor give you a physical check-up before starting to diet. Your doctor is the best judge of how much you can safely lose, says the physician.

Here are the first two days' diets. Clip and save these as well as the others which are coming up.

**First Day's Diet**  
Breakfast—One-half grapefruit; 1 slice toast; 1/2 pat butter; 1 glass skim milk; coffee, no sugar.

Lunch—One cup vegetable soup (no potatoes); lettuce salad with half unsweetened pear and one-inch cube of cheese; lemon dressing; 1/2 slice toast; 1/2 pat butter; custard made from 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon sugar, nutmeg and vanilla.

Dinner—Two slices roast chicken; 1-3 cup beets; 1 small potato; 1/2 slice toast; 1/2 pat butter; fruit cup made from 1/2 orange and 1/2 apple sliced; tea or coffee, no sugar.

**Second Day's Diet**  
Breakfast—Six oz. orange juice; 1 egg, poached or soft boiled; 1 slice toast; 1/2 pat butter; 1 glass skim milk; coffee, no sugar.

Lunch—One glass tomato juice; cauliflower casserole made with 1/4 head cauliflower, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons milk; 1/2 slice toast; 1/2 pat butter; 1 glass skim milk; fresh stewed pear, unsweetened, spiced with cinnamon if desired.

Dinner—One cup of fat-skimmed broth; 1 slice roast mutton; 1 small potato; 1/2 cup spinach; 1 slice unsweetened pineapple; tea or coffee, no sugar.



Allyn McLerie, musical comedy star, checks her weight on scales before starting a seven-day diet.

## Price Increases On Studebaker Cars

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Increases ranging from \$25 to \$60 in the list prices of passenger car and truck models were announced by the Studebaker corporation.

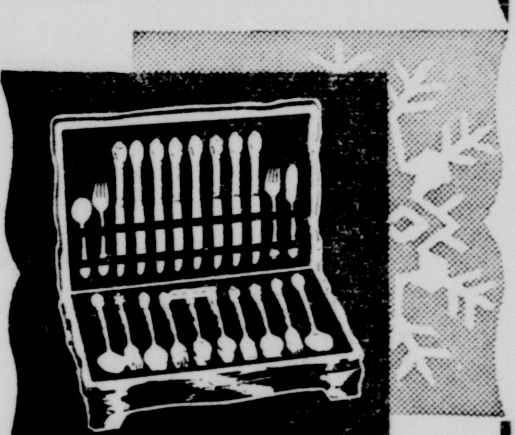
The new passenger car prices, ranging from 1.3 per cent to 3.5 higher, apply to 1949 models to be introduced later this month.

The new truck prices become effective Jan. 3.

H. S. Vance, chairman and president of the company, said the increases are being made to partially offset increases in manufacturing costs which have occurred since last June when present prices were established.

**P. T. A. Council To Meet**  
The Council of the P. T. A. Teacher will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Parish Hall.

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## Oak Grove PTA Met At School

The Oak Grove P. T. A. met at the school on last Thursday night. Mrs. Herbert Mewes presided over the meeting. Members responded by naming their favorite Christmas carol.

When the business meeting had been completed, the president turned the meeting over to Mrs. Donald Donath, teacher of the school, who presented the following Christmas program: Song by the school, "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year;" Christmas speeches, Patty Yeater, Claude Woolery, Henry Mos, David Parkhurst and Johnny Swope; violin solos, Dorothy Mewes; speech, "Why I'm Good," David Beaman; "How Many Days 'Til Christmas," Richard Parkhurst, Wayne Beaman, Linda Swope, Patty Schreiner and Mary Ross; speech, "Poor Old Mr. Calendar," Jerry Van Nata; song by the school, "Twas the Night Before Christmas;" song by lower grades, "Away in a Manger;" song by upper grades, "Silent Night;" and a play by the school, "Why the Chimes Rang."

Those participating were: Doris Schlobohm, Roy Kendrick, Dorothy Mewes, Marie Mewes, Mary Swope, Sally Carney, Luchen Mos, Barbara Schultz, Carol David and Wayne Beaman, Betty and Bobby Schlobohm, Jerry Van Nata, Kermit Schultz, David and Richard Parkhurst, Linda and Johnny Swope, Edith and Mary Ross, Henry Mos, Claude Woolery, Patty Schreiner and Patty Yeater.

Also participating on the program were Elmer and Elinor Van Dyke from the Lone Star school district. They played two piano duets, "A Christmas Medley" and "Theleigh Ride."

Following the program Santa Claus arrived to distribute gifts from under the tree. The P. T. A. also had a gift exchange under the direction of Mrs. Schreiver, program chairman.

Refreshments were served.

**Attended Convention**  
Ed Wagner, of Hughesville, Mo., attended the M. F. A. convention which was held at Columbia Tuesday.

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
Ralph Firsiack and Evalena Cooper, both of Sedalia.  
Harlan M. Georgeson, Union, S. D., and Virginia Mildred Goslin of Sedalia.

## LaMonte Youth Now in Japan

With the Eighth Army in Sendai, Japan, December 13, 1948.—Chief Warrant Officer Clarence H. Miller, Route No. 3, La Monte, Mo., was recently assigned to the 172nd Station hospital, a unit attached to IX Corps, and located in Sendai on Northern Honshu island.

Warrant Officer Miller entered the Army on October 20, 1935, and received basic training at Fort D. A. Russell, Texas. He sailed for Japan on October 26, 1948, and prior to his assignment with the 172nd Station Hospital, served in the European Theater of Operations with the 40th General Hospital.

He is now serving as supply officer with the 172nd Station Hospital.

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## Donald Blankenship Back to San Diego

Donald Blankenship, CSSA, USN, left by plane from Kansas City Saturday night for San Diego, where he is stationed, after a leave spent with relatives here. He was accompanied to Kansas City by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blankenship, 1014 East Sixth street, who returned home Sunday.

Other guests in the Blankenship home during the holidays were another son, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blankenship and daughter, Joyce Ann, of Jefferson City, and Bob Hoskins, Springfield.

About seven million Americans are victims of rheumatic diseases.

**PRIZE BABY SHOW JANUARY 11-13**  
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1. List your own name. If married and your wife (or husband) had no income, or if this is a joint return of husband and wife, list name of your wife (or husband).

List names of other close relatives (as defined in instructions) with 1948 incomes of less than \$500 who received more than one-half of their support from you. If this is a joint return of husband and wife, list dependent relatives of both.

Name (please print)	Check below whether you (or your wife) were at the end of your taxable year:	On lines 2 and 3 below: Write 1 if neither 65 nor blind; Write 2 if either 65 or blind; Write 3 if both 65 and blind.
	65 OR OVER	BLIND
Your name John Y. Doe	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wife's (or husband's) name Ida C. Doe	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Name of Other Dependent Relative	a. Number of exemptions for you 2	
Sara Doe	b. Number of her (his) exemptions 2	
Bradley Roe	Address—If different from yours	
	Same 819 Pine St., Sandy Hook	
Enter here total number of exemptions claimed (yours and your wife's plus one for each dependent listed above) 6		

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of 14 authoritative, understandable articles in NEA's Annual Tax Primer, prepared by NEA's recognized authority on income tax matters in consultation with Bureau of Internal Revenue experts. This year's primer has been completely revised. Step by step it shows the wage-earning taxpayer how to handle every item of his return with the least effort and the greatest accuracy—how to pay the smallest tax while complying with the law and regulations.

By S. Burton Heath  
NEA Staff Correspondent

You are permitted to "split" your income tax for purposes, if you are legally married as described in the first article of the Income Tax Primer, even though most or all of the income was received by the husband or the wife, and little or none by the other.

Income splitting is a technical tax device. It means merely that husband and wife lump all taxable income together, divide it into halves while figuring the tax, and get the benefit of lower tax brackets.

The benefit is the money saved. In very few cases are there any disadvantages. There are five

possible instances, each affecting only a few, where income-splitting joint returns might be undesirable. They are:

(a) Cases where husband or wife does not want the other to learn his or her income or its sources.

(b) Cases where one fears that the other might dump on him or her the entire burden of payment, since each is individually responsible for the entire tax on a joint return.

(c) Extreme cases where medical expenses were huge, where both had good incomes, and where by filing individually they might get larger medical deductions.

(d) Uncommon cases where both had substantial capital losses, on which, by filing separately, they could apply \$1000 each—instead of \$1000 for both—of those losses against ordinary income; and

(e) A few instances where the averaging of taxes, in brackets, in the Tax Table, makes the charge on a joint return more than on two individual returns, provided both had income. These are mostly in lower income ranges, where few couples would be if both had substantial earnings; and they affect mostly the taxpayers who would not file Form 1040 anyway, but use 1040A and let the Collector try both methods to see which gives the lower tax.

In a very few cases, filing under the laws of community property states may show a slightly different result than using the Federal "income splitting" provision. Usually the difference will favor the Federal way. These cases are so few they will not be considered here.

In Item 1—Your Exemptions—it is assumed here that couples are filing jointly under the Federal law.

Be sure to indicate whether husband or wife—or either or both—is blind, or over 65, or both. Every truthful "Yes" will save the tax on \$600 to you. A false "Yes" is perjury and can be punished severely.

**Who Is Blind?**

A taxpayer, or his wife, or her husband, is blind if the best eye, with correcting lenses, is not better than 20/200, or if the angle of vision is as little as 20 degrees.

If either person is blind by definition he can claim the extra \$600 exemption even though the other has perfect vision.

**Who Is Over 65?**

For income tax purposes any taxpayer, or his wife or her husband, is over 65 this year if he or she has a 65th birthday on or before Jan. 1, 1949.

If either is over 65 he can claim the extra \$600 even though the other is under 65.

On the line at right of the form above, "Your Exemptions," marked (a) the husband gets one exemption merely for filing, plus another if he is blind, plus another if he is over 65. So he has no less than one, nor more than three. The same applies to the wife on the line marked (b).

**Who Is a Dependent?**

In the spaces provided, list your and your wife's legal dependents on a joint return.

A legal dependent is any "close relative" who had less than \$500

income in 1948, to whose support you and your wife contributed as much as a penny more than half, whether your contribution was in money, in room and board, in merchandise, or in a combination of these. It does not matter the dependent's age, physical or mental condition, where he lives, why he needed or received your help. The law defines "close relative" to include:

Natural or adopted child, or the descendant of such a child;

Natural parent, one who adopted you legally, or the ancestor of such a parent;

Step-parent, or parent-in-law; Half, full, foster- or step-brother or sister, or one-in-law; Blood uncle or aunt, niece or nephew.

Nobody else.

A child born any time up to midnight Dec. 31, 1948, was a legal dependent for the entire year.

A person who died any time after midnight Dec. 31, 1947, who was dependent during as much of 1948 as he lived, was a dependent for the entire year.

A person alive throughout 1948, but dependent only part of the year, was legally dependent either all year or none. It depends on whether you contributed more than half of his support for the entire year, measured in dollars and cents instead of in time.

Even though he satisfies all other requirements, a dependent can be claimed only if he is a citizen of the United States, or if not such a citizen, if he is a resident of the United States, Canada or Mexico.

A married dependent whose exemption is claimed on a joint return with husband or wife can not be claimed also by parents or others. The only time any person can be claimed as an exemption on more than one return is in the case of a dependent who earned less than \$500 during the year on which tax was withheld. Such a dependent provides an exemption for the person who supported him. And, technically, he claims his own exemption when he files his own "return" in order to get back the taxes that were withheld.

There is no extra exemption for blind or over-65 dependents. And here's a suggestion, too late for this year, but maybe worth dollars in the future:

If you and somebody else divide a dependent's support equally, neither gets tax credit. Why not arrange so that one year you will pay more than half—even by so much as a penny—and claim dependency, and the next year you will let the other person pay more than half and take credit on his return? That way, instead of never getting credit, each of you gets it in alternating years.

**Next: Your income for personal services.**

**Community News from—**

**California**

**Mrs. Harold Priest**

Among the out of town visitors in California during the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Griesel and children, Rose Ann and Jack of Sioux City, Iowa. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner, Mrs. Giesse's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Anderson of Eldred, Ill., spent Christmas with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Priest and granddaughters, Susan and Nancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hogge and daughter, Dona, drove to Morehead, Ky., where they are visiting with Mr. Hogge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hogge.

Mrs. Opal Folkert is in St. Louis enjoying the holiday season with

### The Guy Who Was His Own Grampa Was Just an Out-and-Out Sissy



Talk about people who are their own grandfathers, here's a guy who's his son's brother-in-law and his granddaughter's uncle. It all happened in St. Louis, where more than a year ago Walter Henry, Sr. (1) and his son, Walter, Jr. (2) married sisters (3 and 4). This month, 3 and 4 gave birth to daughters, Sheryl Ann (5) and Susan (6). So 1 and 2, besides being father and son, are brothers-in-law. In addition, 1 is 6's uncle, and 2 is 5's half-brother. It gets worse when you realize that 3 is simultaneously 6's aunt and grand-mother, while 4 is 5's aunt and half-sister-in-law. The relationship between 5 and 6 is too complex to consider.

her son and daughter-in-law and little granddaughter Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gates and sons William Alfred and Ardrey, spent Sunday and Monday visiting with Mrs. Gates' mother, Mrs. William Finkle in Independence and her brothers Emil and Dr. Elmer Finkle in Buckner.

Master Ardrey Gates has an especially big Christmas every year. He was six years old December 23 and had about thirty guests to help him celebrate.

The Misses Jen and Mae Morrison entertained at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Otto Giesse last Thursday. Those attending were: Mrs. Jim Kieley, Mrs. Dorothy Gossen, Mrs. Pullam, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Hessler, Mrs. Dorsey Hoot and Mrs. Kenyon Latham had a supper party Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eckert, of Crystal Beach, Canada and Mr. and Mrs. Richard MacLeish, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd celebrated Christmas in their new home which has just been completed on Rice boulevard.

Miss Jo Ann Crawford who is in her junior year at Stephens College is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crawford. Her brother, Jack, who is a junior in the School of Business Administration at Missouri University and working toward a career in journalism is also home for the holidays.

John Kibbe, a junior in the Missouri law school, is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Kibbe. Other students home from Missouri University are: Donald Block, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Block, who is an agriculture student; Donald Osborne, Bill Less, Bob Spieler, Dick Spieler and Lionel Gallagher, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gallagher, who is a medical student.

Miss Doris Cloninger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Cloninger, is home from Cape Girardeau College; Winona Meyer, Annabell Charles and Emma Jean Barry are home from Warrensburg; Emily Barry is home from Springfield Business school and Marjorie Hart, who is now a WAC, is home for a holiday visit with her family.

Bob Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Newton is home from Kansas University at Lawrence, where he is taking Naval Reserve

Officer Training after having passed a competitive examination.

Jerome Schwab, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter Schwab, who is attending St. Paul's College in Concordia, came home for the holidays after being soloist in the Christmas concert at the college.

The young people home from Junior College in Jefferson City include Jack Bowlin, Jimmy Reed and Norris Dean Kay. Benton Smith is home from Westminster and Yvonne Scrivner from Missouri Business School in St. Louis. Miss Edwina Lee, a teacher in the Jefferson school in Sedalia is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lee.

**Community News from—**

**Houstonia**

**By Mrs. Bennie Martin**

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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields spent Christmas day in Marshall with

Mrs. Shields' mother, Mrs. Rhoda Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nutt attended a family dinner in Sedalia Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Delapp and their two sons, who are at home on leave from the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill.

Miss Ruth Elkins, of Sedalia, is spending Christmas week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Martin, and Mr. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shireman entertained a number of relatives from Kansas City Christmas day.

Misses Billie Dean Rhinehart and Loretta Hayes, students of the Missouri University are spending the holiday season with their parents.

Dick Tolson and Jimmie Harris, who are attending the Missouri University, are home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parkhurst and baby of Mt. Vernon, Gordon Parkhurst of Kentucky spent Christmas with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Parkhurst.

Miss Ala Mae Hoffman, student at the University of Michigan, Harlan and Junior Hoffman, students of the Missouri Valley College of Marshall, are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoffman and aunt, Miss Minnie Hoffman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Junior McCarty and family of Haven, Kas., spent a few days here with their parents and other relatives.

William Waite made a trip to Olataha, Kas., Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. Tevebaugh and daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh were dinner guests on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sibert of Sedalia.

Mrs. Tom N. Smith, who became quite ill, was taken to Columbia hospital Wednesday morning by Wallace Smiley. Her son, John Smith, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williams, of Leonardville, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams and son, Bobby, of Kansas City, are expected to spend the week end of New Years here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams.

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# Circuit Court, Criminal Term Opened Today

Some Cases Set, Others Will be Set on Friday

The January term of circuit court, criminal division, opened this morning before Judge Dimitt Hoffman. Fourteen criminal cases were called and three cases appealed from the City of Sedalia police court.

In view of several informations having not been filed in criminal cases the court will meet again on Friday, at which time completion of the setting of the docket will take place.

Criminal cases on the docket are: Glenn Strange, charged with burglary and larceny. Case continued from the last term of court. A letter was presented by the attorney for the defendant that the defendant was not in condition for the trial. The letter was from hospital authorities at the U. S. Veterans hospital at Wadsworth, Kas.

Other Cases  
A. Reich and Sons, Inc., appealed from the City Court on violation of merchant's license ordinance. This case has been on docket since October, 1947.  
Gene Minshall, appealed from City court on a charge of being intoxicated and disturbing the peace. Case on docket since October, 1947, has been set for trial on January 24.

Virgil Wood and Kenneth Bear, grand larceny, case continued to April term of court upon request of defendants.

Howard Fisher, charged with rape, case set for January 28.

Paul Harvey, charged with driving a car while intoxicated. Case set for January 27.

Charles J. Bybee, charged with intoxicated driving, case set for January 31.

William Henry Thomas, intoxicated driving, case set for January 8.

Asie E. Hanning, intoxicated driving, case not set.

Ivan Dale Jackson, grand larceny, case not set.

Roy Miles, intoxicated driving, defendant pleaded not guilty and case set for January 29.

Vernon Le Roy Curry, grand larceny, case not set.

Ervin Yeager, obtaining property under false pretense, case not set.

Jack Dillon, reckless driving, case appealed from the city police court. Set for January 24.

Richard Hartwig, intoxicated driving, case set for January 25.

P. H. Pollard, assault with intent to kill, case set for February 1.

Cases in which no informations had been filed at the time of the opening of the court were Jackson, Hanning, Curry, Yeager, Hartwig, Miles and Pollard.

William P. Brown, newly elected prosecuting attorney, took over the duties of his office on January 1, and today was his first appearance in Circuit Court as the Prosecuting Attorney.

**To Take Training Cruise**  
Judson G. Banks, of Kansas City, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Banks, of 2005 East Broadway, who is a Lt. j. g., in the United States Naval Reserve, will be in Newport, R. I., Sunday to embark on his regular yearly 30-day training cruise.

Tsingtao, China, a fishing village in the 1890's, is now a city of 600,000.

## BIRTHS

Son, born to S/Sgt. and Mrs. John Stacy, 1824 South Carr avenue, at 10:56 o'clock Saturday morning, January 1, at Woodland hospital. Weight: six pounds, 12 ounces. Mrs. Stacy was formerly Miss Betty Jo Tharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tharp, of this city.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Moore, of Ottumville, at 12:25 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Bathwell hospital. Weight: Seven pounds, two ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Heimen, 1102 South Barrett avenue, at 4:34 o'clock Friday afternoon at Bathwell hospital. Weight: Nine pounds, three ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wheelock, of Painsville, Ohio, December 29.

Mrs. Wheelock was formerly Miss Fern Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stewart, of 2010 East Sixth street.

Daughter, born to Cpl. and Mrs. Nelson B. Lee, in Fort Worth, Tex., New Year's Day at 1:29 o'clock in the morning. The baby weighed eight pounds, ten ounces. Mrs. Lee is the former Geneva Mincoff, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Mincoff, 3125 East Twelfth street.

**Hunting Accident Fatal**  
EL DORADO SPRINGS, Mo., Jan. 3.—(P)—An accidentally discharged shotgun fatally wounded Frank Ellis, 42, of El Dorado Springs, three miles southeast of here yesterday.

The gun was in the hands of a hunting companion, Gene Womble, also of El Dorado Springs. Ellis was struck in the chest. The two men were hunting rabbits.

Ellis, foreman of the International Shoe company plant, where he had worked 20 years, is survived by his widow and two children.

**Former C. of C. Head Dies**  
MACON, Mo., Jan. 3.—(P)—Charles B. Williams, 62, former Secretary of the Macon Chamber of Commerce, died at noon here yesterday. His death followed a heart attack.

A life-long resident of Macon, Williams was in the insurance business. His widow, Mrs. Helen Williams, and two sisters, all of Macon, survive.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

**Moving to Michigan**  
James J. Kane, 202 South Missouri avenue, who has for the past several months been employed by Cal Rodgers, operator of the Pontiac automobile agency in Sedalia, has accepted a position as Claim Adjuster of the Pontiac Motor division in Pontiac, Mich. Kane completed a two-year dealer cooperative training program at General Motors Institute in Flint, Mich., in August.

Kane left Saturday and will assume his position today.

**W. P. Coe III**  
W. P. Coe, 1208 East Ninth street, went to the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis Sunday, after he suffered a heart attack. Mrs. Coe received word today that he is in a critical condition.

It is estimated that approximately one million Americans are permanently disabled as a result of rheumatic diseases.

The oyster feeds itself by drawing in water and filtering out microscopic plants and animals, about 600 oysters an hour.

The Hercules moth has a wing span ranging from eight to eleven inches.

## OBITUARIES

**Mrs. Kate Ruth Windsor**

Mrs. Kate Ruth Windsor, formerly of this Pleasant Green neighborhood, died Friday morning, December 31, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the Goodman and Boller Chapel in Boonville Sunday afternoon conducted by the Rev. Mr. Bateman. Burial was in Walnut Grove cemetery in Boonville.

She was born in Boonville, March 27, 1873, the daughter of Daniel Grouner and Ruth Breton Davis and spent all of her life in her native county. She is survived by two sons, Grover Windsor, of Fayette; Eddie Windsor, of Kansas City; two daughters, Mrs. Sid Lusk, of Green Ridge and Mrs. W. S. Boulware, of Bunceton; two brothers, Jeff and Dan Davis, of Boonville; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Her husband and one grandchild preceded her in death.

Palbearers were: Chaston Reid, Cordry Graves, V. K. Beltride, Louis Downing, Harry Eichelberger and Noel Cole.

Interment was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

**John D. Bettise Service**

Funeral services for John D. Bettise, 44 of 402 East Tenth street, who died at 6:30 o'clock at his home Thursday morning, were held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon at the Gillespie Funeral home with the Rev. Ervin Kelley in charge.

Palbearers were: Philip Pettis, Charlie Crook, Al Dreshers, Bud Martin, Donald Curry and Elbert Dillion.

Interment was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

**Carl Geizer**  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Roedel of 1407 South Sned avenue, attended the burial of Mrs. Roedel's brother, Carl Geizer of Fayette.

Mrs. Roedel's mother and three brothers have all died within the past year.

**Mrs. Lula Hinsley**

Mrs. Lula Hinsley, 65, of 34 South Sixteenth street, Kansas City, Kas., died at the Bethany hospital in Kansas City, Kas., at 5:00 o'clock this morning.

She is survived by the following children: Delbert Bee of Kansas City, Kas.; Mrs. Beatrice Shoemaker of Sedalia; Roy Jones of Tipton; Mrs. Ethel Jenkins Simpson, Miss Vivian Jones, all of Kansas City, Kas.; Mrs. Donis Jones, of Chicago, Ill.; Elmer Jones, of Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters Mrs. Addie Jones of Springfield, Calif.; Mrs. Grace Stanley of Portland, Ore.

Mrs. Shoemaker left this morning and will attend the services there.

**James T. Gallaher**

James T. Gallaher, 76 years old, died at 7:40 o'clock Sunday night at the home of Marion E. Dowd, 400 Wilkerson. He had made his home with Mr. Dowd for the past 28 years and has been a resident of Sedalia for 33 years.

He was born at Knob Noster, January 15, 1871, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Gallaher.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Christina Kern, in 1941. Also preceding him in death was one brother, Henry Gallaher.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Francis M. Goodnight, Des Moines, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. D. W. Neal, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, will officiate.

Interment will be in the Knob Noster cemetery.

The body is at the Ewing funeral home.

**Frank E. Farris**  
Frank E. Farris, 81, former Sedalia, who for the past several years has been living in Clinton, died at the General hospital there following a short illness and funeral services were held at the Consular and Peck funeral home at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Palbearers were grandsons. Burial was in Bethlehem cemetery.

Mr. Farris was born June 10, 1868 in Indiana, and was married to Josephine Watson on September 1, 1899. He was preceded in death by his wife on March 2, 1945. To this union were born eleven children, nine of whom survive. They are Roland Farris of Clinton; Arthur Farris of Kansas City; Earl Farris, of Joplin; Mrs. Elizabeth Knox, wife of R. T. Knox and Mrs. Helen McCall, wife of J. D. McCall, both of Sedalia; Mrs. Elsie Armstrong, of Olathe, Kas.; Mrs. Dorothy Box of Kansas City; Woodrow Farris of Sedalia; and Mrs. Thelma Van Winkle of Clinton.

Mr. Farris was a carpenter by trade.

**Herbert Franey Service**  
Funeral services for Herbert Franey, 65, who resided at the home of his cousin, Mrs. J. B. Scruggs and Mr. Scruggs, 301 East Fifth street, who died at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Bathwell hospital where he had been a patient since December 26, were held at the St. Patrick's church this morning.

Palbearers were: John Atkinson, Mord Robb, Fred Morley, Joseph Moffatt, Cleo Huff and Frank Adams.

Mr. Franey is survived by a brother, F. V. Franey, of St. Louis; who with Mrs. Franey arrived here Sunday morning; also by two sisters, Mrs. Morton Classy of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mrs. Nell Metzger of Kansas City.

Interment was in the Calvary cemetery.

**Mrs. Jerry L. Kester**

Funeral services for Mrs. Augusta Scheerer Kester, wife of Jerry L. Kester, of 817 West Third street, who died Friday morning at 8:55 o'clock at the Woodland hospital after a lingering illness, were held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with the Rev. J. Fred King, officiating.

Mrs. Charles Maggard and Mrs. C. D. Demand accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Mae Moser sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "In the Garden."

Palbearers were: A. L. Morris, R. W. Morris, Charles Morris, Thomas Keating, H. W. Young and C. F. Morris.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

**Mrs. Alvina A. Fender**

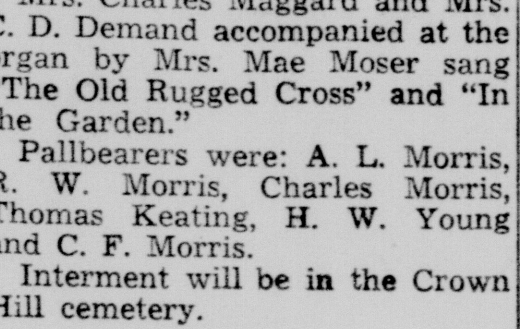
Funeral services for Mrs. Alvina Amelia Fender, 69 who died Thursday morning at her home, 420 East Tenth street, were held at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the Gillespie funeral home. Rev. William C. Bessmer was in charge of the service.

Mrs. Lloyd Satterwhite and Mrs. E. G. Liebel, accompanied by Miss Lillian Fox, sang a duet: "Jesus Savior, Pilot Me."

Palbearers were: Arthur Brill, Emory Meyer, Raymond Kahrs, Kenneth Stone, A. J. Rose and Ernest Holst.

Interment was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

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# Pettis County Farm and Home News

## Meeting Jan. 4 Of Balanced Farm Group

### Reorganization Session be at Convention Hall

The reorganization meeting of the Pettis County Balanced Farming Association will be held Tuesday evening, January 4th. It will be in the Convention hall, at Liberty Park and will start at 7:30.

A total of 20 Pettis county land owners have already signed up to be new members of the association. These men will team with the carry-over members from the 1943 association to make up the 50 members. There is still room for a very limited number of either new or carry-over families.

The new members include T. W. Cloney, Lee Dow, D. M. Overstreet, C. L. Turner, E. W. Thompson and A. L. Walter of Sedalia; W. A. and B. C. Claycomb, A. B. Gilmore, Runge Estate and Harold H. Schanz of Hughesville; C. L. Parkhurst and J. E. Tolson of Houstonia.

Arthur Meyer of Sweet Springs; Russell H. Miller, Green Ridge; Donald Arnett, John E. Carroll, Claude M. Finley, Ernest Fredrick, LaMonte, M. O. Green, Jr., Smithson; and Miss Mary Lay of Warsaw. Miss Lay has entered 2 farms which are located north of LaMonte. One is farmed by Clay Curtis and the other by Higgins Warren.

### Terrace Outlets Built

Most of the new members are interested particularly in soil conservation. Three of these farms have been walked by Associate County Agent, Merle Vaughn. Four terrace outlets and 4 terraces have already been built on one of these 3 farms and 2 outlet sites have been checked with a contractor on the second farm.

These folks will also be offered assistance in improving their crop rotations, in planning a complete pasture system, including clean ground for hogs and poultry, with farmstead arrangement and with improvement in the home such as running water, a bathroom and kitchen remodeling.

Everyone of the folks who were members in 1943 and have signed again in 1949 have built at least 2 terrace outlets apiece and the group averages over 4 outlets each. Most of these also have their pasture and crop rotation planned. Some building or lot construction or remodeling has been done on 8 farms and several have done some remodeling inside their homes.

Remember the organization meeting of the 1949 association will be held at 7:30, Tuesday night January 4 in the Convention Hall at Liberty Park and that there is still room for a very limited number of members.

## Dairymen to Meet Jan. 21

A meeting of interest to dairymen and to farmers milking only a few cows is to be held at the court house January 21, announces County Agent Copen.

Included on the program will be M. J. Regan, Dairy Extension Specialist of the State Extension Service and Warren Nordyke in charge of artificial insemination at Springfield. These speakers are well qualified to discuss up-to-the minute problems of producers of dairy products.

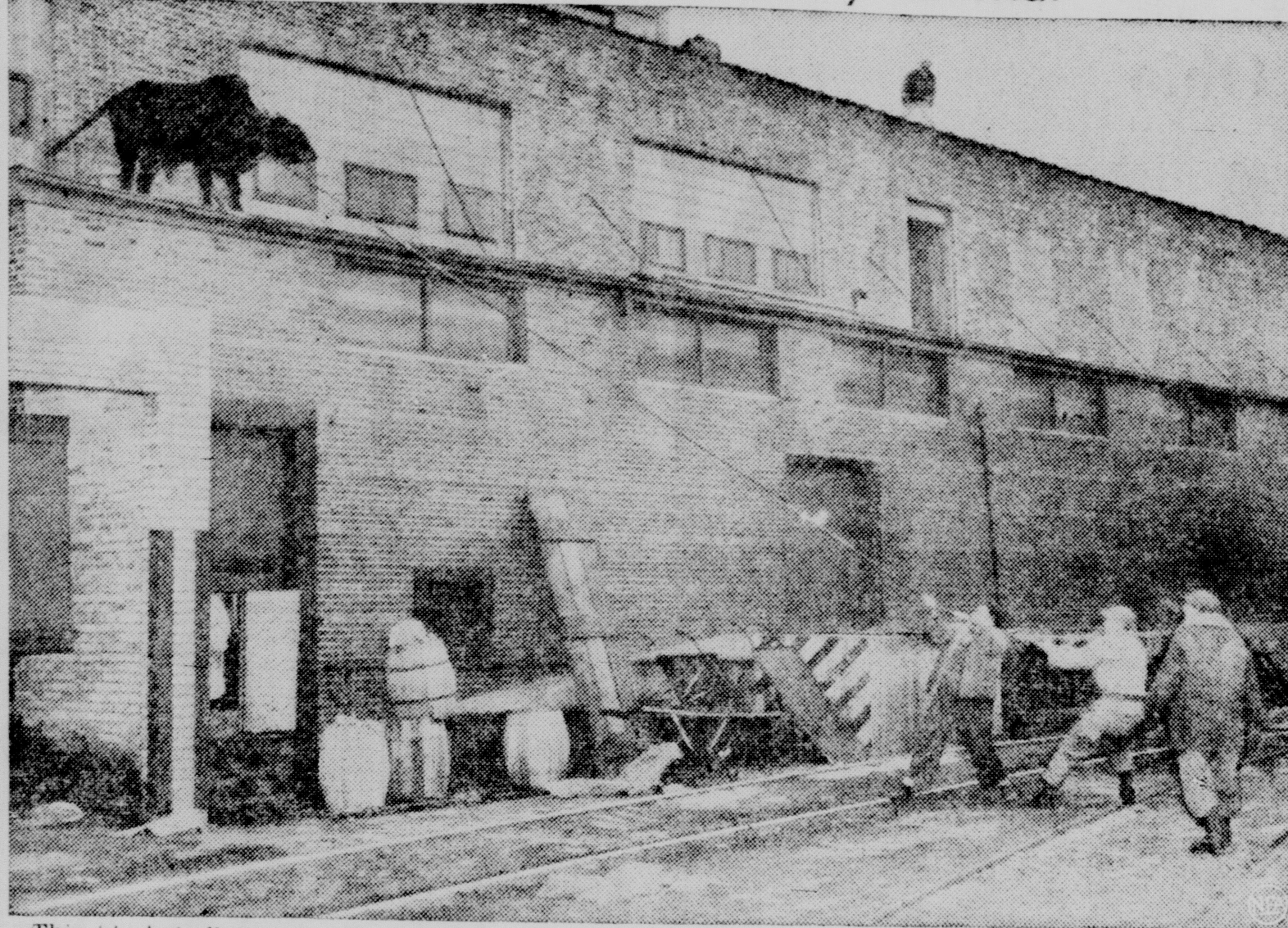
An invitation is extended to all members of the D. H. I. A., members of the artificial insemination association and to other interested in feeding, breeding, culling and management of the dairy cows. The meeting will start at 10 a. m. and be over at 3:30 p. m.

## Sixteen Clubs Finish Projects

Sixteen Pettis County 4-H clubs have 100 percent project completions in 1948. All members enrolled in these clubs completed at least one project and turned in records to their leaders.

The sixteen clubs and their community leader are: Allen, Mrs. Fred Weikal; Bethel, Mrs. Aubrey Moore; Bunker Hill, Mrs. Amos Vanden; Flat Creek, Mrs. J. T. Edmondson; Hazel Hill, Mrs. Finis Pummil; Hillview, Mrs. Leonard DeBord; Georgetown, Mrs. Albert Runge; Longwood Neighbors, Mrs. Thomas U. Harvey; Pacific, Mrs. Milo D. Ives; Ringen-Brushy, Mrs. Roderic Demand; Smelser, Mrs.

## This Bull's a Second-Story Animal



This black bull is near the end of his rope. The animal escaped the slaughterer's knife by crashing through the window of this Chicago packing house. Trapped on the roof, he was shot. The men then roped him and lowered him to the ground, where he was finally killed.

## Sixteen Cows Produce Over 50 Pounds Butterfat in Nov.

Sixteen cows of the 251 in the Pettis County Dairy Herd Improvement Association produced more than 50 pounds of butterfat for November, reports Roy I. Copen, County Extension Agent.

The owners, the breed of the cow, cows name or number, pounds of milk and butterfat produced are given in order.

Name	Breed	Milk (lb)	Butterfat (lb)
John Blum	Reg. Holstein	82	2139 lb
Lee Dow	Holstein	80	2164 lb
Lee Dow	Holstein	79	2139 lb
John Blum	Holstein	78	1882 lb
Lee Dow	Reg. Holstein	77	1476 lb
John Blum	Holstein	76	1485 lb
Lee Dow	Holstein	75	1683 lb
Peters & Van Dyne	Reg. Holstein	74	1693 lb
John Blum	Reg. Holstein	73	1575 lb
Lee Dow	Holstein	72	1187 lb
Lee Dow	Reg. Jersey	71	1228 lb
Lee Dow	Holstein	70	1355 lb
Lee Yeater & Son	Holstein	69	1429 lb
Lee Yeater & Son	Holstein	68	1497 lb

Fourteen herds were tested in November by the supervisor, Gene Dowdy. Two hundred fifty-one cows were on test. Fifty-eight cows were dry. The average milk production per cow was 503 lb and the butterfat production per cow averaged 22.8 lb.

The five herds with highest average butterfat are reported below giving name of owner, breed of cow, cows on test, dry cows, milk average, milk per cow and average fat per cow. Lee Dow, Holstein, 24 cows on test, no dry cows, 1241 lb milk and 46.4 lb fat; John Blum, Reg. Holstein, 13 cows on test, 3 dry cows, 981 lb milk, and

35.8 lb fat; Carl Arnett, mixed, 7 cows on test, 1 dry cow, 604 lb milk and 30.7 lb fat; E. C. Stevens, Jerseys, 29 cows on test, 5.5 dry cows, 394 lb milk, and 25.3 lb fat; and Earl Wood, Reg. Jerseys, 9 cows on test, 2.3 dry cows, 455 lb milk, and 25 lb fat.

One of the important items to bear in mind in winter months is the degree of water the cows drink. Ice cold water reduces the amount the cows will drink, increases the amount of feed required to produce milk, and results in lowered production. Suggestions are available at the Extension office on methods of taking the chill from water.

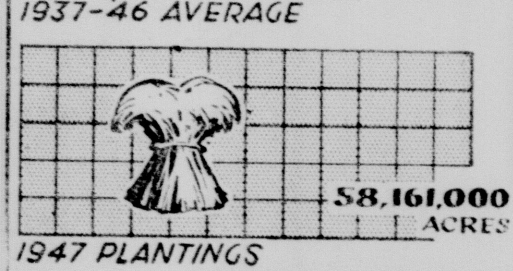
Since egg prices are usually highest in the fall and winter months it is to the poultrymen's advantage to have a high rate of lay now. Two 40 watt bulbs for each 20 by 20 pen will provide sufficient light to lengthen the day. Or if preferred all night lights may be used. Two 15 to 25 watt bulbs for each 20 by 20 pen will do this job.

Oyster shells are saved to be used again the next year as surfaces for tiny new oysters to attach themselves to.

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## U.S. WHEAT ACREAGE UP

Here's how winter wheat plantings have grown.



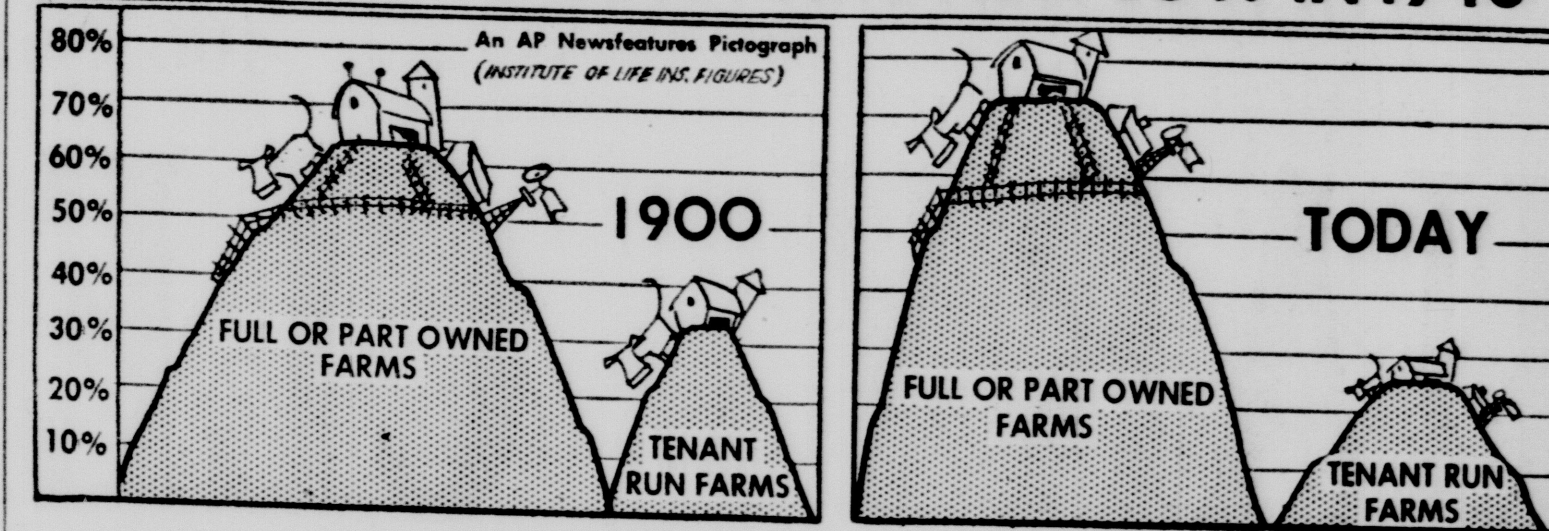
## Roundworms in Swine Damage

Largest roundworms are the most common, largest, and most injurious worm parasite of swine. Each year losses occur from the death of pigs, but observations indicate that the greatest losses result from unthriftness, stunted growth, wasted feeds, and condemnations in inspected meat-packing establishments.

The recommended treatment of the Missouri College of Agriculture Animal Husbandry Specialists is the sodium fluoride treatment. Growing pigs that are subjected by risks of heavy roundworm infestations may be expected to derive considerable benefit from two treatments before they reach marketable weight and age. A successful method of treating with sodium fluoride consists of slightly underfeeding the animals on the day before they are to be treated.

Then on the day of treatment feed the pigs for one day a mixture containing 1 part by weight of sodium fluoride (technical grade) and 99 parts by weight of dry ground feed. This should be fed in the morning in slightly less amounts than the animals normally consume in one day. If the animals being treated are not accustomed to dry, ground feed they should be fed this feed, untreated, for a couple of days before treatment. Sodium fluoride is poisonous and should be handled as such. Prevention of parasitic infestation is important and more effective than treatment. This can be

## U.S. FARM TENANCY HITS NEW LOW IN 1948



done by raising pigs on clean ground, where no hogs have run for at least two years. However, since this practice isn't generally followed some treatment should be made for the roundworms in hogs.

## Feeding Routine Is Essential

Since labor constitutes a major part of dairy production costs, (usually 20-25%) and since a large part of dairy labor is of a routine nature, repeated day after day, it is highly important that the dairyman study and work out a routine of feeding, chores and milking that will keep labor and time required at a minimum.

Contributing to labor saving are: 1. Buildings of good design and construction which are easy to keep clean and convenient to use. 2. Equipment suited to size of herd and type of operation and designed for easy cleaning.

3. Size of operations adjusted to a point where labor saving equipment can be used. Size of operations depends on size of farm and buildings, and also on the efficiency of operation. That is, a herd of ten cows producing 200 lbs. of butterfat a year might yield not an income which would make it economical to buy a milking machine. On the other hand, a herd of ten cows producing 350 lb. of butterfat might easily make a milking machine and other labor saving equipment possible.

4. Better cows save labor. A 400 lb. cow requires little more labor than one producing 200 lb., therefore the cost of labor per pound of butterfat would be considerably less in the case of the better cow.

## 4-H Recognition Meeting Jan. 21

The annual 4-H recognition meeting will be held at Convention Hall, Liberty Park, on Friday night, January 21st. The Pettis County Farm Bureau will present achievement pins to those club members who have completed their first, third, fifth, seventh and tenth year's of work. Recognition cards will be provided those who have completed even numbered years work. County medals will be

## Gross Income of Over \$300 a Cow

Production records and breeding records are essential to good herd management. In fact, without this basic information good management is hardly possible.

Production records such as those obtained through D. H. I. A. work enable the herd owner to feed economically, to cull low producers and to carry on a breeding program which should steadily increase the average production of his herd.

D. H. I. A. herds in Missouri in 1947 averaged an annual gross income of over \$300 per cow, whereas the income from the average cow in the state was around \$175 in the same period. Some 800 herds with about 16,000 cows are now taking advantage of D. H. I. A. work in Missouri.

Production records give a basis for culling unprofitable cows. This is highly important to the net income for the herd. We sometimes find that the top half of a herd will yield more income above feed cost than the entire herd yielded. Frequent culling of most herds would be profitable and save labor. Intelligent culling can be done only if there are production records for a basis.

The supervisors of the Pettis County Dairy Herd Improvement Association is Eugene Dowdy of near Green Ridge. At the present time, Dowdy has room for several more herds in the local association. Anyone interested may obtain further information from the local county extension office at 401 1/2 South Ohio.

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  - 1 Guernsey cow, giving 4 gal. day, fresh in March
  - 1 Jersey and Holstein cow, giving 2 gals. now
  - 1 Guernsey heifer, fresh in May
  - 1 White Shorthorn cow, fresh in May
  - 1 Whiteface cow, heavy springer
  - 1 Brindle cow, milking now, fresh in spring
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## Explosive Situation Might Develop in Russia

By DeWitt MacKenzie  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

President Truman's statement that there are certain leaders of the Russian government "who are exceedingly anxious to have an understanding with us" is giving rise to keen speculation.

Of course the term "Government" covers a considerable field of activity. However, when the Soviet government is mentioned one naturally thinks of the powerful politburo which comprises the fourteen top Bolsheviks.

The politburo is the core of the Communist dictatorship. Head man is Stalin — toughest and smartest of them all. So if there is a fundamental clash of views in the politburo, it might create an explosive situation. Maybe the division isn't in the politburo, but let's see what it means if it is.

Stalin reached the top through ability and ruthlessness. He played a leading part in the Bolshevik revolution. In 1922 Lenin made him Secretary-General of the Communist party, which was the key position. When Lenin died in 1924, Stalin grabbed the leadership.

Then came Stalin's battle with the ambitious Trotsky, who also sought the dictatorship. Trotsky finally was expelled from Russia and after many vicissitudes wound up in Mexico. There a mysterious assassin beat his brains out with a spade.

Meantime in Russia there were sweeping purges of dissidents. And many noted figures were tried and executed for sedition. Thus the Stalin regime was consolidated, and he evolved the policies which Moscow has been following.

Stalin won. The focal point always was world revolution for the spread of communism. There had been a fierce fight between Stalin and Trotsky over this. Trotsky wanted to go all out with the revolution forthwith, while the more practical Stalin maintained that industrial and military development of the Soviet Union must come first.

Of course Stalin won, and he proceeded with his several five year plans which had achieved remarkable development by the

time Hitler figured he was ready to beat the world. It was then that Stalin signed with the Nazi dictator the non-aggression pact which enabled the latter to launch his aggression.

Figured Chance for Communism Here it is essential to state that Stalin long had seen another world war coming. He figured that this would give Communism its chance to spread. In recording this I am stating something which was known before the war by European observers, including your correspondent. What Stalin feared, but hoped to escape, was an attack on Russia by Germany.

Even before the war was concluded Stalin was driving crafty bargains with his allies. These deals were calculated to foster the spread of Communism when peace came. We see the results in the overrunning of Eastern Europe, in the disastrous division of Germany and in many other cases.

Thus was the Soviet foreign policy developed by Stalin. Meantime he built up around him the powerful group of men who support him in the politburo. They are hand-picked, not only for their ability but for their loyalty to their chief.

### Machine Will Function

In theory the aging Stalin has created a machine which will continue to function without hitch when he is forced to retire. However, that machine is constructed of men who are ambitious and who are ruthless.

If there already is a breach over policy among them, this might presage a battle royal for the dictatorship when Stalin passes out. That could be the torch which would start a conflagration in the Red empire.

Well, that's the story. But don't forget that we started from the premise that it is all speculation. What isn't speculation is the way in which Soviet policy was developed.

### Community News from

## Clarksburg

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin and daughter, Mary Ellen, had as their Christmas dinner guests: Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. Nola Martin, of Clarksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Golder Martin and son, Jerry Alan, and Robert Wingate, of Cross Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stodell and son, Billy Gene, of Sedalia, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lauder. Mr. Lauder was taken to the Latham hospital Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stephens had as their Christmas dinner guests: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephens and daughters, Shirley and Darlene, and Forest Lilley, of Ellsberry; Mr. and Mrs. John Steele and son, Harvey, of Ironton. Mr. Steele left Sunday evening for Pacific, where he has been doing highway work and is moving the highway machinery to Camden, where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephens went on to Frisco Sunday to spend some of the holidays with Mrs. Stephens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fishback, and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughan and son spent Christmas day with Mr. Vaughan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vaughan, of Iberia.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stinson had as Sunday guests: Mrs. Stinson's father, Will Lawson, and sister and husband, of Tipton, and Mr. Stinson's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughan and son, Eddie Ray.

Rev. Ivan Dameron spoke at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Herbert Fuels, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived Saturday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson and brother, Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Beard had as their Sunday guests: Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Carpenter, of Cooper county; Miss Janie Drafen and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carpenter, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore and family, of Pisgah, and Mr. and Mrs. Wood-

## Carnival

By Dick Turner



"I feel that shopping for things is enough of a job—let the husband decide how to pay for them!"

row Carpenter, of Clarksburg Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Birdsong had as their guests Sunday: Mrs. Birdsong's sister, Lucile and her daughter, Peggy, from Kansas City and another of her daughters, Margie, of Oklahoma City, Okla., another of Mrs. Birdsong's sisters, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jobe, of California, and Benton Porter.

James Larimore, of South Dakota, came for Christmas to visit his mother, Mrs. Elvira Larimore, and children.

Mrs. Maude Skinner went to Versailles Saturday, where she had Christmas dinner with her mother, Mrs. Cynthia Atkins, at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clodselter, where Mrs. Atkins is making her home through the winter months. The three brothers were all present for Christmas.

Mrs. Skinner then had Sunday dinner with one of her sons and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nichols and all of her children except two, were present on that occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Golder Martin and son, Alan, had as their Sunday dinner guests: Mrs. Nola Martin, Mr. and Mrs. George Welch and daughter, Shirley, of Clarksburg, and R. F. Wingate, of Cross Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Battles had their family with them for Christmas dinner. One daughter and her family, who live at Moberly, couldn't be there. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Battles, of Cameron; Miss Pearl Battles, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Battles, of Tipton; Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Battles and daughters, Dorothy, Helen and Virginia, of Cooper county, and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Koecher and children, Donald and Barbara Ann, of the home community. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Koecher entertained the same family group at their home.

Mrs. G. C. Van Stratten had with her some of her children for Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Van Stratten and daughter, Bonnie, of Jefferson City; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford and daughter, Sharon Kay, of Versailles, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Stratten and daughter, Lavena, of Clarksburg and a granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Riechel and son, Mickey, of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford and daughter, Sharon Kay, of Versailles, were Christmas visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crawford.

John Schlup, who became suddenly ill at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McDonald, near Latham, about two weeks ago, was brought back to his home in Clarksburg over the week end so he could spend Christmas at his home with Rev. and Mrs. Dameron and children.

Mrs. Raymond Baker and son,

Loyd, spent Christmas day with her mother, Mrs. Delzetta Simmers, in Cooper county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barber had as Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barbour, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins, of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Raymond Baker and sons entertained the following at Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin and daughter, Mary Ellen, of Cross Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson and Everett Wayne, of Syracuse; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boehlen and son, Kenneth, also Mrs. Delzetta Simmers of near Brush Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schmidt and two daughters of Lakota.

### Community News from

## Tipton

Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass

Mr. and Mrs. George Pedego entertained Christmas, Mr. Pedego's mother, Mrs. Kate Pedego, and their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Alger Sterling, of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sterling and son of California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norman and daughter and son, Miss Verna Lee Norman and Jean Norman were Christmas guests of Mrs. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman left Monday for the west coast for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Farris, Jr., and small daughter, of Colorado Springs, are guests of Mr. Farris'

parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Farris. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conn went to Tulsa, Okla., and are guests of their son, Walter Conn, and his family for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook had as Christmas guests their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McQueen and two sons of Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Homfeldt had at home for Christmas their children, Miss Mary Elizabeth Homfeldt of Mt. Vernon, Jack Homfeldt of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Love and daughter of Illinois.

Virgil Williams of St. Louis spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams. Mrs. Ella Newkirk had at home for Christmas her children, Miss Sally Newkirk of Jefferson City, Mr. and Mrs. George Routzong, Mr. and Mrs. David Routzong, of Sedalia, Mrs. P. W. Hurg of the home and Sam Newkirk of Kansas City.

Miss Marguerite Crawford of St. Louis spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass were entertained on Wednesday at a dinner given by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Stark in Jefferson City, honoring their 44th wedding anniversary.

Frank Fulkerson of Chicago left Monday for his home, after visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Worley, and uncle, Shelby Worley and aunt, Mrs. Herman Dahl.

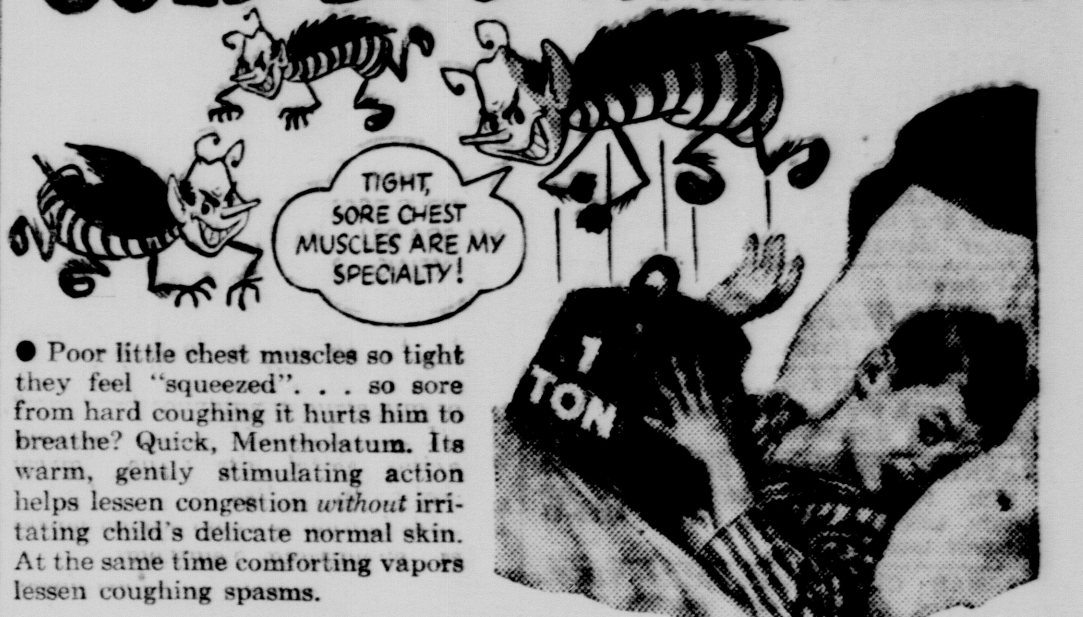
Mrs. Roy Finley entertained for the Christmas season her children, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and son of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Finley and son of Jefferson City, and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Thomas of Tipton.

Mrs. Ida Bowline had with her for Christmas her children, Mr. and Mrs. John Zuluof and daughter, Ruth Anne of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. William Finley and sons of Lake of Ozarks, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bowline and daughter, Jerene, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knipp and daughter, of Tipton.

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- 1 Sulky plow
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- 1 Turning plow, new
- 1 Disc
- 1 Wagon
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- 30' Bushels corn
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32-Help Wanted-Female

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32-Help Wanted-Male

CARRIER BOYS WANTED: One delivery daily. St. Louis Star Times. Phone 4609-R.

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36-Situations Wanted-Female

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## III. Business Service

### Continued:

## V. Financial

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Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Community Hotel Company of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in the Ambassador Room, mezzanine floor, Hotel Bothwell, northeast corner Fourth and Ohio streets, Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, 1949, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing nine directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 30th day of December, 1948.

J. E. CANNADAY, President.  
D. S. LAMM, Secretary.

# ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Sedalia Industrial Loan and Investment Co., will be held in the Company's office, Sedalia, Trust Building, Fourth and Ohio, Sedalia, Mo., on Tuesday, January 11, 1949, for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

L. H. ARCHIAS, Vice-President.  
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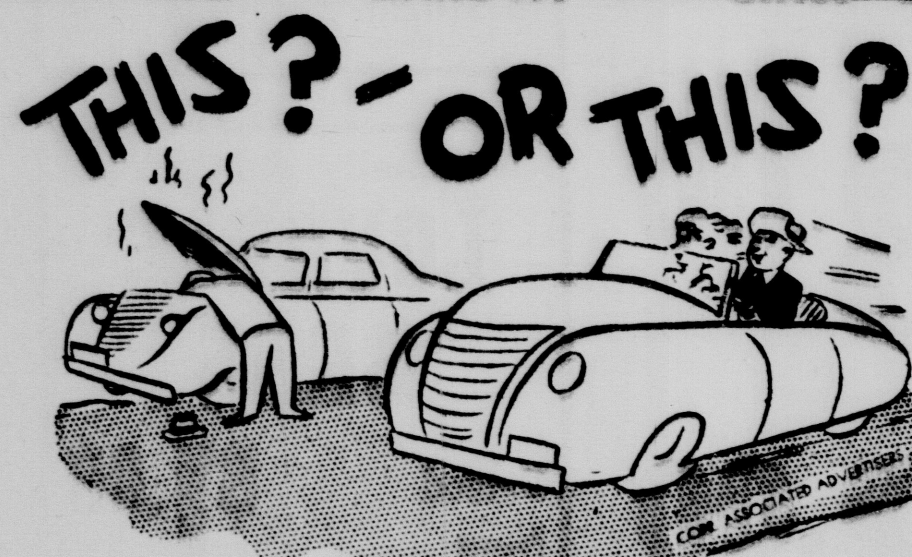
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# Windsor

By Mrs. Leonard Phifer  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whalen, of Holden, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norcross, Wednesday.  
Mrs. Stella Crum returned to her home in Kansas City, Friday, after visiting several days with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Moffett, and Dr. Moffett.  
Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Poague, of Owensboro, Ky., are spending the holidays here with their daughters, Mrs. Everett Marti and Mrs. Jesse Scroggins and families.  
Rev. and Mrs. George Harryman and family spent Thursday

and Friday in Eldon. Mrs. Harryman's mother returned with them for an indefinite visit.  
Mrs. Myrtle Fletcher, Miss Gladys and Roland were Christmas day guests of their daughter, and sister, Mrs. August Egner and family near La Monte.  
Miss Mary Churchill went to St. Louis Friday to spend the holidays with friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Laughlin and daughters of Higginsville were dinner guests of Mrs. Laughlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sutherland, Christmas day. Mrs. Laughlin and daughters remained for several days' visit.  
Mrs. Parks Brown of New York city came Wednesday because of the illness of her father, Dr. T. C. Moffett.  
Mrs. Blanche Johnson spent the

holidays in Kansas City with her daughter, Mrs. Josephine Burnside.  
Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Marshall on Christmas day were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Marshall and sons, Joe and Glenn. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Phifer and Mrs. Dora Kerr.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Seres and children, Linda and Bennie, of Independence, spent Christmas week-end with Mrs. Seres' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Creekmore and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stickrod and daughter of Warrenton were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stickrod.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Landis of Warrensburg were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Landis' sister, Mrs. Frank Norcross, and Mr. Norcross.  
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Grandpre of Baltimore, Md., are visiting relatives here during the holidays.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harris went to Kansas City Wednesday to attend the funeral of a relative.  
Judge and Mrs. W. F. Spencer of Springfield were holiday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Perry A. Rowland, Rev. Rowland and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Christian and family of Kansas City spent the holidays with relatives here.  
Misses Bobby Jean Brockway and Jo Ann Johnston, Clayton Perry, Dudley Marshall and Joe Marshall, who attend college at Warrensburg, are spending their vacation here with their parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harris entertained their children and their families to a Christmas dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Atkinson and daughters, Iris and Kathleen, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harris and children, Bobby, Gene and Kaye, Mrs. Mable Johnson and Lylana, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris and children, R. E. Jr. and Gayle of Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Harris and Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. Lucy Jones of Windsor. Miss Iris Atkinson remained for a few

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## Hal Boyle's Column

By Hal Boyle  
NEW YORK, Jan. 3—(P)—Let's open Pandora's box all over again. Good night!

Oh, oh, that's wrong. I mean Happy New Year! I mean it really. Welcome to 1949! And why not? Can't you open Pandora's box and figure this way—something's in here good for mankind? Why not give it light? Light hasn't really hurt anybody in our world—since—well, since way back last Saturday.

Last Saturday, of course, was the morning after. Is there too, too much to repent about the eve before? So you made a double-dog fool of yourself the last night of 1948? Will you ever have the same chance to do it in front of the same company in the same way again?

Let us hope not. The Lord has his own mysterious way of removing elderly inebriated bystanders from the scenes of our recent crimes. Our crimes against sensible society and our own conscience, I mean.

**You Are Unique**  
So today you are unique. You face life with a sense of guilt. But there the day stretches ahead of you—bright, fresh and new, and eager to record your repentant scrawl. Nobody in history saw the same day the same way before. Nobody will again.

But as the day wears you are likely to see that other people are back at work, too. So, whether you work for them or they work for you, you appreciate that life is pretty much a fellow-hangover against the dark—and you feel that life is going to go on.

Darned, as a matter of fact, if you don't happen to think that you, too, have some importance in your effort to do your bit. You know it isn't probably going to sway mankind—but at least you didn't hide out with a phony cold. Life gains a thin rosy edge of virtue.

**Aren't Looking For Trouble**  
Well, if you have got that far, boss or hired hand, you are already a victim of Pandora's Golden modern box. And that is a kind of version of the Golden Rule.

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In 1949 people aren't looking for troubles—they have an eye open for blessings. They want hope more than they cry for help. They are looking for something better rather than something worse. They want to eat high on the hog—and who's there to say there isn't room for everybody to gnaw?

**Matter of Propaganda**  
No, sir, it always was a matter of propaganda what came out of Pandora's box. This year let's accept the idea it was good—and good for us all.

There's plenty of everything for everybody. And everything is in your mind.

If I'm wrong, call me a liar in 1950. But as for 1949—it's only here once.

Let's live it—and let Pandora shut the gold-darned lid! We won't go this way again. No, none of us.

● Community News from:

### Clifton City

**Mrs. Add Johnson**  
Members of the church and Sunday school of the Open Bible church presented the pageant, "The Great Star," at the church Wednesday evening, December 22. The pageant was directed by Mrs. Ollie Harlan and the church was filled to capacity to witness the scene.

Mrs. George Knox, teacher of the Clifton City school and her pupils gave their Christmas program at the school house Thursday evening and school closed for the vacation until January 3.

The Christmas program was given at the Methodist church Christmas Eve. It was directed by Mrs. Add Johnson, with Mrs. C. J. Reuter in charge of the music.

Miss Adda Bidstrup, of St. Louis, arrived here Thursday and spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Bidstrup. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bidstrup entertained at a turkey dinner, having all their children seated at the dinner table, with the exception of one daughter, Mrs. Paul Ruddell, who is in Alaska. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bidstrup; Miss Adda Paul, of Balboa, of the Panama Canal Zone, who is guest of his parents; and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Quint, of Smithton, and their daughter, Mrs. David Mahnen and Mr. Mahnen, of Sedalia.

Miss Virginia Felton, who is a student of the high school at Nevada, is spending her Christmas and New Year holidays here with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Agler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young had the following guests for dinner Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Jake Young, from the state of Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Simon Young, of Kansas City; Ralph Young, of St. Louis, and Miss Dorothy Kempf, of Pilot Grove; Miss Elaine Young and C. S. Biery, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Young and three sons, of Clifton City and Miss Margaret Bidstrup, of the home.

Leo Rugen, of Hawaii, arrived here Sunday evening, spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rugen. Leo had not been home for seven years and had spent this time in Hawaii. Mr. and Mrs. Rugen expect to have

## Aid Co-ordinator



Ernest A. Gross, above, legal adviser of the State Department, has been named Co-ordinator for Foreign Assistance Programs. His job will be to tie up all the estimates for military aid to foreign nations. Economic Co-operation Administrator Paul Hoffman will do the same for economic aid.

a family dinner for Christmas a little later.

Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp had all her children and grandchildren home for Christmas dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weber and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler and Vincent Youngkamp, all of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy and family, of Columbia; Miss Lucille Gerke, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gerke and daughters, of Pilot Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gerke and family, of Pleasant Green, and Mr. and Mrs. William Gerke and family, of Clifton City. On Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Gerke entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gerke and family, of Pilot Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gerke and family, of Clifton City.

The annual Christmas dinner for the Sweeney family was held this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dove, near Smithton, with all the members of the family present, with the exception of one brother, John Sweeney, of Arizona. Dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. John

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A turkey dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harlan Christmas day. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Harlan and daughters, Kay and Trudy Jo, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harlan and sons, Bobby, Dickie and Larry, and daughter, Linda, of California; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McMillen, of New Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schroer, of Los Alamos, N. M., arrived here Christmas morning and were guests of Mrs. Schroer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marti, at dinner. They were joined here by a sister and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wells, of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cox entertained at a turkey dinner Christmas day with the following people present: Mr. and Mrs. Junior Cox and daughters, Donna Sue and Linda Lou; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fricke and daughter, Nancy Jo and son, Harold Spencer, all of Sedalia; Mrs. Cox's mother, Mrs. Mollie Potter, Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Add Johnson, Mr. Johnson and daughter, Challis Louise; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bridges

and daughter, Marva and son, Oliver Thomas, were dinner guests of Mrs. Bridges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schibi, near Pleasant Green, Christmas day. They were joined there by other members of the Schibi family: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Penny and family, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Benjie Haynen and family, of Tipton, and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schibi and family, of Houstonia.

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Since April 1947, Hewitt has been representative of the chief of

M. Smith, and wife and daughter, in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Pabst had as guests Christmas day all their children, Donald, of Mexico; Mrs. Dwayne Kramer and Mr. Kramer and Miss Betty Pabst, of Kansas City, and Mrs. Clarence Kruse, Mr. Kruse and wife, of Sedalia, and Mrs. Pabst's mother, Mrs. Henry Lorenz. Other guests in the home were: Mrs. Teresa Whitman and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, of Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rugen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harrelson and son, Jimmie, of New Orleans, La., arrived here last week to spend their Christmas and New Year holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cozad. Guests Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kramer, of Kansas City.

naval operations on the military staff committee of the United Nations Security Council. One Hercules moth found in Australia had a wingspan of 14 inches.

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